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For the Pacific News.

### MINERS' ADMISSION SONG.

Come, come, ye merry miners, come in your red shirts all;
Come, hasten up to town, and join the festival;
Stop not to shave your savage lips, or cut your barbarous hair;
Ye are welcome, merry miners, all bearded as ye are.

What though your brows *are* blushing, at the kisses of the sun;
And your once white and well kept hands are stained a sober dun;
What though your backs *are* bent with toil, and ye have lost the air
Which stamped ye once as brilliant beaus amid the young and fair

I fain would, with my slender palm, your bony fingers clasp;
For I love the hand of honest toil, its firm and hearty grasp;
And I know, O miner, brave and free, that not alone for self
Have ye heaped through many weary months, your glittering pile of pelf

You with the stern and thoughtful eye, beneath your bronzed brow;
You on whose smooth and rounded cheek, still gleams youth's purple glow;
You of the reckless daring lip, you of the timid glance;
Ho! young and old, ho! grave and gay, to the merry fete advance.

Ho! brothers from the sunny South, whose radiant skies are glowing;
Ho! toilers from the snow-clad North, where iciest winds are blowing;
Ho! Buckeye hunter of the West, child of the rivers great;
Come, join the song of jubilee, to the new Golden State!

For now the Banner of the Free, in very deed's our own;
And 'mid the band of sister States, we're not the feeblest one;
Then proudly shout, ye hairy men, with throats all brown and bare,
For the loved Flag 'mid its crimson stripes displays a golden star. BELTINA!

### *MATTERS ON THE PACIFIC SIDE*

The day previous to the sailing of the last steamer for the Atlantic side, the gratifying intelligence reached the shores of the Pacific, that California had been admitted into the Union as a State, and a full account of the festivities of the day, got up and arranged in an impromptu manner, were carried back in our last steamer paper. To-day we send forward an account of the general rejoicings of the people, the procession, the banners, oration, ode, &c., with which the admission was commemorated on Tuesday last. It is with pride we say, that we have never witnessed a display in the States that excelled it in splendor and arrangement. For a full description, we refer to other portions of to day's paper.

Along with the news of the universal rejoicings of the people, over an event that cannot but produce the happiest results, will go the melancholy intelligence of the blowing up of the steamer Sagamore, at the wharf, on Tuesday evening, by which a large number of individuals were hurried to an untimely grave. Hearts at home will be painfully moved at the sad announcement, that had beat with high anticipations. How great the destruction of life has been, it is yet impossible to determine, but probably not less than fifty, and possibly more than this number. We give the names of the killed and wounded, as far as enabled to procure them, but there are no doubt many whose bodies have been torn limb from limb, and scattered over the bay, who will never be recognized.

Another fruitful cause of mental suffering at home, will be the announcement that for the first time the cholera has made its appearance in our midst, and is claiming here and there a victim. At Sacramento the disease has raged with far more violence than in any other portion of California, the number of deaths for the past week, by cholera alone, being about fifty. As yet, it has not raged with any malignancy or violence in our own city, and most of those cases which have occurred, have been among the lower and more exposed classes. The impression has been very generally concurred in by medical men, that our climate and location were not favorable to the continuance of the disease, and thus far this belief has been sustained by facts. While the upper and warmer regions have been painfully visited, we have in a great measure escaped. We think truth warrants us in saying with confidence to friends in the States, that they may have little anxiety about the fatality of this fearful scourge in San Francisco, nor indeed to any alarming extent in other cities.

From Oregon, we have the most encouraging accounts of prosperity, and business activity generally. The country is rapidly being settled by immigrants across the plains, who usually come well prepared for agricultural and mechanical operations.

The political character of the result of the late election in the State it is yet impossible to determine with certainly. In many of the large and sparsely populated counties, the question of *political* preferment was not brought into the canvass. Enough in known, however, to determine the fact that the two great parties will be nearly equally balanced, with a strong probability that the Democratic party will have a small majority on joint ballot. As the next Legislature will be required to elect a U. S. Senator in place of Mr. Fremont, who drew for the short term, the question of party ascendancy is one of no inconsiderable importance especially to the numerous aspirants who are already making interest with a view to official elevation.

The question of calling an Extra Session of the Legislature, for the purpose of effecting a loan to liquidate the indebtedness of the State, in case Congress does not grant the appropriation asked for by Mr. Fremont, is again being gravely agitated, and warmly advocated by sound and judicious men. Under the Constitution, the *first* legislature only has the power to negotiate a loan, and this fact renders the success of the measure of vital importance. Should Congress not make an appropriation to meet the pressing wants of the State, there is little doubt but that the Governor wil decide upon calling an extra session for about the 10th of December next.

The *placers* still continue to yield their rich treasures to the effort of the hardy miners. Large amounts of gold are being taken out, at some of the mines, and although sudden fortunes are not being realized, there is generally a fair return for persevering labor. The manifests of our shipping companies furnish the best evidence of what the mines are yielding;

Business in our own city, and indeed throughout the State, has been very fair, though no great activity is particularly to be noted.

Immediately upon the news of the admission reaching us, state bonds and scrip braced up, and advanced several per cent. and the credit of the State much improved. Men feel a confidence that our past nots will be fully recognized, and that repudiation, under no circumstances, will be permitted to disgrace the golden state of California.

*Frightful Tragedy.*—A gentleman down from Hangtown, informs us that a dreadful tragedy occurred in that place on Thursday last. It appears that a man named Richard Crane had been playing thimble-rig in the street, and that the crowd from some cause had taken exceptions to something done, and he fled to the El Dorado House. As he stepped into the door he was met by another gambler and stabbed twice, of which wounds he died soon after. Some difficulty had previously existed between the parties. Soon after the death of Crane, the murderer was taken by the deputy sheriff, but the crowd became too great to admit of the protection of the prisoner. He was taken from the sheriff and publicly hung. [Placer Times.

☞ Major N——, upon being asked if he was seriously injured at the bursting of the boiler on a steamer, replied that he was not, as he had been blowed up so many times by his wife that a mere steamer explosion had no effect upon him whatever.

☞ There is a woman in Cincinnati, who has lost three husband's by death in less than ten months, and is now engaged to a fourth.

☞ A New York paper says that over 400,000 baskets of peaches reached that city in one week, from Jersey.


MARSHALL'S SALE—By virtue of three executions issued out of the Court of P. W. Shepheard, a Justice of the Peace of the county of San Francisco, against the goods and chattels of JOHN LAMB; one in favor of John Cameron for $146 88-100 judgment, and $19 costs of suit, being for a claim for seaman's wages earned on the brig Broadax. One in favor of Edward Donnelly for $120 40-100 judgment, and $15 costs; also for wages earned on said brig. And one in favor of Richard Kirby for $116 judgment, and $15 50-100 costs, on a note made by the said Lamb, I have levied upon the said brig Broadax, her tackle, apparel and furniture, the property of said Lamb, and shall expose the same for sale in front of the Court House, on MONDAY, the 4th day of November, 1850, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon

The above brig is sound and seaworthy, and represented as of very superior sailing qualities; registered at Port Adelaide 136 tons burthen. Sale positive.

M. Fallon, Marshal,
San Francisco, Oct. 28, 1850. o29 tds

GRAND REAL ESTATE LOTTERY—Central House property, valued at $20,000, consisting of the Central House and all its furniture, &c., on Washington street.

Zinc House, and all its furniture, &c., on Dunbar's Arcade.

Frame house on Dunbar's arcade, and 252 Building lots; making 255 prizes out of 1000 tickets, or nearly one-third prizes. Will be drawn in a few days, by L. Lincoln & Co.

Tickets only $20, for sale by
Garniss & Co.,
corner Washington street and Jones' Lane. o18 tf

NEW YORK HAT Emporium—The Branch establishment of WM H BEEBEE & Co.'s New York Hat Emporium, is located on Commercial street, and is now prepared to furnish gentlemen with every style of Hats of the best quality, and at the lowest California prices.

A practical hatter, Mr. O. H. Boyd, from the New York House, is always to be found on hand for the purpose of dressing gentlemen's hats after the latest styles.

A complete assortment of Gentlemen's furnishing and fancy goods constantly for sale.

T. P. Everitt, Agent,
o1 1m Commercial street.

TREASURER'S NOTICE—All persons who have not paid their State and County Taxes, are hereby notified, that the same are due, and if not satisfied within the proper time, payment of the same with damages, will be legally enforced.

The tax on Personal Property must be paid before the first Monday in October, and on Real Estate before the first Monday in November.

The amount levied is as follows: For State purposes, one half of one per cent; for county purposes, one quarter of one per cent; for the building fund, one quarter of one per cent; State and County Poll Tax, eight dollars.

George Endicott,
County Treasurer, at the head of Central Wharf o1 1stf

ADMINISTRATOR'S Notice.—All persons having claims against the estates of Charles R. Bimley, Henry Bonfield and George Greswold, deceased, are hereby requested to present them to the undersigned at the office within ten months from this date, in default of which they will be forever barred. Those indebted to said estates are requested to make immediate payment.

Joseph Henriquez,
Public Administrator city San Francisco.
Office, Commercial street, next door to Dart & Gales, up stairs. o25 4taw

BOAT STOLEN—Cut adrift from the stern of brig James Caskie, night of the 12th inst., a yawl boat, about 23 feet long, bottom painted white, black top, inside green and lead color, iron row sockets. Whoever will return said boat, or give information of her, where she may be found, to J. F. Stuart & Co., Jackson street, or Master on board, will be suitably rewarded.

o14 tf Oliver O. Jones,

S BEEBEE LUDLOW & CO., Exchange Brokers and Bankers, have removed to Van Dyke & Belden's fire proof building, in Clay street, 2d door from the corner of Montgomery street.

Drafts on Beebee, Ludlow & Co., New York; Ludlow, Beebee & Co. Philadelphia, Josiah Lee, Baltimore, for sale, and in all the principal cities, in sums to suit, by

S. Beebee, Ludlow & Co.,
o1 tf Clay st, 2d door from Montgomery

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICE—The subscribers have this day formed a copartnership under the firm of STARR, MINTURN & Co., for the transaction of a General Auction and Commission Business, and have taken the store in Miner's Building, Washington street, adjoining Messrs Middleton & Hood.

San Francisco, Oct. 18, 1850.

J. B. Starr,
Jonas Minturn,
o18 1m Lloyd Minturn.

FOR SALE—A Corrugated Iron Store, 30x60; will sell less than freight and duties. Also, for sale, a fine piano, very melodious, will sell very cheap. Apply to W. SCHLEIDEN,
on Broadway, between Dupont and Stockton streets, or at his office, opposite the Custom house. o1

STORESHIP WM. GRAY—Storage on this storeship at the lowest rates. Apply to

J. Cowell & Co.
corner of Jackson and Sansome sts.
or Henry D. McCobb,
on board, foot of Battery st, near Buckelew's wharf. o1 1m

FIRE APPARATUS For Sale—A first class forcing suction engine and hose carriage, with all appurtenances, and 625 feet new riveted hose. The whole in complete order, and now ready for immediate use. Winter & Latimer,
Next door to Cross, Hobson & co, sansome street. o1

C. V. Gillespie, Notary Public, Messrs. Howard & Green's new brick building, Montgomery street.

THE UNITED STATES and California Express Company. Proprietors, A. B. MILLER & Co. For the safe and speedy transmission of packages, gold dust, &c., between San Francisco and the United States.

The parties connected with this Express are permanently located, and have been established for nearly two years on the Isthmus of Panama, and having hotels at Chagres, Cruces, Gorgona and Panama, are in constant communication between the Pacific and Atlantic steamers. Their extensive facilities (the most complete on the Isthmus,) enable them at all times and seasons to convey perfectly safe and with dispatch, everything entrust d to their care. This company have undertaken what their facilities enable them to perform, and their responsibility guarantees to the public.

Shipments by every steamer from San Francisco direct through to New York.—Treasure insured at low rates.

A. B. Miller & Co.,
Office in New York, Wall street, near Broadway.
Kelsey, Smith & Risley, Agents,
Clay street, 2 doors from Montgomery, San Francisco. o10 1m

ISTHMUS HOTELS.—CHAGRES, CRUCES, GORGONA, and PANAMA.

The "Irving House," at Chagres, Wallace W. Williams, assisted by Hugh Miller.

The "Panama Rail Road Hotel," at Gorgona, under the management of A. B. Miller and J. F. Conger.

The "American Hotel," at Cruces, under the management of E. R. Folger and H. Miller, Jr.

The "United States Hotel," at Panama, under the management of Adrian B. Miller. o10 tf

*SACRAMENTO HOUSE, Broadway* IS NOW OPEN for the reception of the Public.

This House is the largest, and its rooms better ventilated than any other establishment in San Francisco. The Dining Room, is 60 by 25 feet. The sleeping apartments are well supplied with every thing necessary for comfort. There are forty rooms containing but one bedstead, furniture, &c Adjoining which, is attached a Drawing Room, with private entrance on Broadway. The location is commanding, being only a few steps from the departure and landing of the steamers plying on the Sacramento river, and stopping at Benicia, Sacramento City, and all the principal towns and landings adjacent to the gold mines.

Passengers landing from ships, and directing the boat to land them at this House, will save a long walk and porterage Steps are provided in the rear of the House for boats to land passengers, baggage, &c.

The Table, Bar, &c., is unsurpassed.

Jeffreys & Co.,

N. B. The House can be seen from any part of the Bay, it being the most prominent, commanding a full view of all the arrivals of steamers, shipping, &c. o22 1m

CARD—GARNISS & CO., Auctioneers, beg leave to inform their friends and the public, that they have moved into their new and spacious Sales Rooms, in the Iron Building corner of Washington st. and Jones' lane, between Montgomery and Sansome sts, where they are prepared to transact the AUCTION and COMMISSION BUSINESS, on the most favorable terms. The arrangement of their rooms are such as to afford great facilities in the disposition of goods—the same being of a sufficient capacity to contain a cargo, which can be received from a canal in the rear. They solicit a share of the public patronage.

o9 1m Garniss & Co.

FRED A. WOODWORTH. CHAS. A. MORRIS.
WOODWORTH & MORRIS.
*Shipping and Commission Merchants.*
[Clay street Wharf.]

Strict attention paid to the purchase, sale freight or charter of ships and vessels, and sale of ships, cargoes and merchandise generally, The locality of their warehouse admits of goods being landed and again reshipped, without expense of cartage, thus saving an important item of charges, both to consignees and purchasers. GOLD DUST bought at the highest market rates. DRAFTS on New York for sale, in sums to suit purchasers. Storage for every description of merchandize. o1 1

JUSTICE'S COURT. FIRST TOWNSHIP.—Philip W. Shepheard, Justice of the Peace for the First Township, county of san Francisco. Office in Gothic Hall, on Jackson street, next door to Montgomery st. Office hours, from 8 A.M. to 6 P. M. Mr. D. W. Thompson, Deputy Marshal, is the officer attending this court.

o1 1m*

TO LET—The Large Store 23 by 70 feet, finished and ready for occupancy, on the corner of Davis and Sacramento streets, and one of the best stands in this city for business. The lower floor and third story will be let together, or the whole will be let to one person, if desired. Inquire of

Wm. C. Hoff,
o10 at Hoff & Co., Howison's pier.

THE VERANDAH RESTAURANT, in Johnson's Building, at the corner of Kearny and Washington sts, and opposite the El Dorado, is now open for the reception of visiters. Those who may be pleased to patronize our establishment, will we trust, have no cause to complain of our *Fare*, as the tables shall be supplied with the viands and delicacies of the market, and our bar furnished with the choicest wines and liquors. Come and see.

o1 tf Atkins, Newcomb & Co.

COPARTNERSHIP—The undersigned have this day formed a copartnership under the firm of Cooke & Lecount, for the purpose of carrying on the wholesale and retail stationery business in general. They have leased the fire proof store in Wells & co's Buildings, Montgomery st, next door to Wells & Co's Banking House.

Wm. B. Cooke,
o1 tf J. J. Lecount.

CHILI FLOUR—Fresh Chili Flour afloat, for sale, in lots to suit purchasers, by

Carroll & McDowell,
Montgomery street, next to Ross' brick building. o1 1m

RECEIVED per ship MEMNON, from New York,
150 dozen 1 and 2 lb cans pres'd lobsters,
50 do 2 lb cans pres'd oysters,
50 do 2 do do clams,
120 do 2 do do potatoes,
126 do 2 do do onions,
50 do 2 do do beans,
50 do 2 do do beets,
50 do 2 do do cabbage,
50 do 4 do do asparagus,
75 do pickles, hf pints, pints, quarts, hf gallons
300 do extract coffee, a superior article.

Also, pepper sauce, tomato catsup, mustard, brandy fruits, sour crout, etc., etc.

Also, 75 doz Wells, Miller & Provost extract blackberry, a certain curg for dysentery and diarrhœa. For sale by

D. R. Provost,
o7 1m* Battery street, Clark's point.

WELLS & CO, Bankers, corner of clay and montgomery sts, draw bills on Willis & co, Boston; Drew, Robinson & co, New York; Ludlow, Beebe & co, Phila; Greenway & co, Balt'e; Ellis & Morton, Cincinnati; Loker, Renick & co, St Louis; Robinson & co, Buffalo; Washburn & co, Albany; H A Rathbone, New Orleans; Maclean, Maris & co, London; and at banks in Hartford, New Haven, New London, Providence, Worcester, Plymouth, New Bedford, Salem, Portsmouth, Portland, Bangor, Keene, Concord, Bellows' Falls and Woodstock.

Gold dust shipped and insured to New York. o1 tf

LAW BOOKS and Stationery.—Just received, a large invoice of law books, which we offer cheap for cash.

Civil code of Louisiana, New Clerk's Assistant, third edition; Louisiana digest, Starkie on evidence, Chitty on pleading, Blackstone's commentaries, Jarman on wills, Martins on reports, Kaupman's Mazkelky, Deslix's digest, Benjamin & Slidell's digest enlarged, Deslix's general Index from 1809 to 1843, together with a large assortment, too numerous to mention, for sale wholesale and retail by

Cooke & Lecount,
Booksellers and Stationers, Wells & Co. Buildings, Montgomery street. o1

CARGO of ship MEMNON, from New York—

100 bales brown sheeting, 200 bales bro'n drills, 400 bbls Stuart's crushed sugar, 50 tierces Stuart's sugar house syrup, 400 hf bbls clear pork, 50 tierces hams, 80 bbls kiln dried meal, 100 tins wine biscuit, 100 boxes water crackers, 60 bbls white wine vinegar, 150 hf bbls and kegs do, 100 boxes pickles assorted, 100 kegs onions, 12 hf bbls sour crout, 40 bales hair mattresses, 1500 bbls cement, 20 M hard bricks, 200 tons coal, 10 pkgs glazed window sashes, invoice wood mouldings, 12 store trucks, invoice wooden ware, as tubs, pails, brooms, grain measures, boxes, etc. Also, 1000 bbls and 500 hf bbls of that superior brand, Gallego flour, 600 boxes Croton mills do, for sale by

F. C. Sanford,
o1 1m foot Pine street.

NOTICE to Shipmasters and Owners.—We, the undersigned, shipwrights of san Francisco, have completed our arrangements for heaving out vessels of any size, that may need overhauling from keel to light water. Mr. Thompson, a master rigger, may be found on board the ship Pico, south side Rincon Point, at all times, who will give immediate attention to orders left with him, or orders left at Hawley, Sterling & co's, foot of Sacramento street, will be attended to.

s30 1m* Hudson, Smith & Lester.

STEAMER McKIM for sale—A fine boat for the Oregon or Southern coast trade. The commodious and popular steam propeller McKIM, in complete running order, together with new boilers and other machinery, daily expected to arrive from the United States, is offered for sale. Apply to

Everett & Co.,
o10 tf Howison's wharf.

LOANS—Cash advanced on bond and mortgage sales; purchases and exchanges of real estate effected; city scrip and state scrip bought and sold, or loans made thereon, the highest price being paid for either; approved commercial bills cashed at the lowest rate; temporary advances made on every kind of convertible security; gold dust bought; rents and notes collected; and all kinds of monetary operations effected with promptitude and dispatch.

F. Marriott & Co.,
Real Estate Agents and Loan Brokers, etc., Office opposite Burgoyne's banking house, Montgomery street. o1 1m

NOTICE to all whom it may concern.—All persons having claims against the estate of George Harlan, deceased, are hereby requested to present them to the undersigned at his residence, near the Mission of San Jose, within ten months from the date hereof, or else be debarred, according to law; and those indebted to said estate are hereby requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned, as above, or proceedings at law will be promptly instituted.

H. C. Smith, Administrator.
San Jose, Oct. 5, 1850. o5 1m

TO SHIPMASTERS and Consignees of Vessels—The subscriber is now prepared to supply shipping with water of the purest kind from the Joaquin river, at the shortest notice, having a vessel with the capacity of 20,000 gallons. Orders left with the undersigned at the Pilots office, on Cunningham's wharf, opposite office of steamers Senator and New World, will meet with prompt attention

o11 tf James Nelson, Agent.

SIGHT DRAFTS on New York, London, Amsterdam, and other principal cities of the United States and Europe, for sale by

Gildemeester, de Fremery & Co.
Howison's wharf, foot of Sacramento street. o1 1m

D GIBB, Importer and Commission Merchant, Brick building, Central Wharf, San Francisco.

Drafts for sale on Messrs. Watson, Thompson & Co, Glasgow, payable in London; Messrs. John Thomson, Watson & Co, Valparaiso. o1 3m

GRAND LOTTERY.
*VALUABLE REAL ESTATE,*

TO be drawn as soon as the tickets are sold, which we confidently trust will be in a few days, as we have estimated the property at a very low valuation, and the price of tickets moderate.

SCHEME.

1st. Grand Capital Prize.—The Central House, and all its fixtures and furniture, situate on Washington st, between Montgomery and Kearny streets. House 20 feet front and rear, by 86 feet deep, 2 stories high. Also, a kitchen attached, 20x21 feet, 1 story high.

2d. Capital Prize.—A Zinc House and all its fixtures and furniture, situated on Dunbar's Arcade, near the Central House, 15x30 feet, now occupied as a restaurant.

3d. Capital Prize.—A Frame House situated on Dunbar's Arcade, adjoining Central House, 14x24 feet, 2 stories high.

4th. 252 Prizes—252 Lots of ground situate at the Mission Dolores, adjoining the property of Francis Guerrero, formerly Alcalde. Titles perfect.

1,000 tickets at $20 each, is $20,000;—255 Prizes—very near one-third Prizes.

Maps are ready for examination. Tickets for sale at the Central House, and at the office of the Managers, corner of Montgomery and Commercial street. L. LINCOLN & CO.,
o10 1m Managers.

DAVIS & CO., Hardware, Housekeeping and Furnishing store, Washington street, between Montgomery and Sansome sts, have on hand, and are constantly receiving the following articles, viz:

Chandeliers, hanging lamps, side lamps, table lamps, solar lamps, Dixon & Son's britannia ware, britannia candlesticks, do tea and coffee urns, block tin coffee urns, French coffee pots, spice boxes, nut crackers, grocers tea chests, masons trowels, cocoa dippers, nut picks, scrub brusher, wash boards, planes, cedar tubs, pails, etc.; copper and blued tacks, door locks and bolts, hammers and hatchets, circular saws, mandrills and mortice machines, first rate article; turning lathes, spittoons, copper, brass, and pewter faucets, champagne openers, a new article; sardine do, do do; 120 lbs spring balances, coffin plates and plated screws, patent cots, tea bells, newspaper files, whisk brooms, etc., etc., swivel lamps, for ships and steamers; plated castors, 5, 6, and 7 bottles, silver and plated forks and silver tea and table spoons, for sale very low. Very fine boots and shoes, ladies shoes, Lemuel Gilbert's boudoir piano forte, one pair of splendid mirrors, bronzed iron hat racks, with chairs of the same; marblo top centre tables, with iron pedestals, splendid gilt curtain, ornaments with clasps, bronzed and gilt candle brackets to fold, very fine cutlery in mahogany cases, egg-beaters, gold watches, double and single cases, gold guard and vest chains, diamond pins and rings. The jewelry will be sold cheap for cash. Beer pumps, plated with marble bases, with all the fixings, britannia beer mugs, hydraulic rams. Also, fresh pickled oysters, warranted, lobsters in cans, chickens do, pickles of all kinds, painted wash basins, etc., etc.

We are receiving constantly from one of the largest hardware and house furnishing establishments and tool warehouse in the United States. A full assortment of the above articles, which we offer for sale, wholesale and retail, at very low rates. Drafts on New York for sale. Gold dust bought, shipped and insured by

Davis & Co.,
o1 1m Washington street, near Sansome.

BOOKSTORE—Wilson & Spalding, Stationers' Hall, Portsmouth bsuare, san Francisco, and also at their Branch Establishments on Front st, Sacramento city, and on ——— st, in the city of Stockton, offer for sale.

BOOKS, wholesale and retail, on libera terms, a great variety, making the most splendid collection of 50,000 volumes, consisting in part of law and medical books, histories, poems, novels, works on science, mathematics, form books, Business Man's Assistant, Clerks' do, Well's Lawyer, the Ready Reckoner, etc.

Spanish, French and German books, school books, Sanders, Cobb's and Emerson's series.

Stationery, blank books, record books, journals, ledgers, day-books, pocket memorandums, visiting cards, playing cards, drawing paper, maps of gold regions, view of san Francisco, pictures, cap and letter paper, envelopes, gold and steel pens, ink, waters, etc, and a general assortment of other articles in their line, which they are receiving by every steamer.

N.B. Invoices purchased on liberal terms, and consignments of books and stationery received on commission.

*References.*—Ernest Zachrisson, Esq, Messrs. Habicht & co, Ward & Price, New York; Zachrisson & co, Panama; G Schmidt, Esq, New Orleans; Ward, Marsh & co, Bosange, Collard & co, san Francisco. o1 1m

F Argenti & Co., Bankers, San Francisco, Montgomery st., between Clay and Commercial, refer to and draw on—
Brown, Brothers & co, New York,
Brown, Shipley & co, Liverpool,
Samuel Nicholson & co, New Orleans,
Alex. Brown & sons, Baltimore,
Browns & Bowen, Philadelphia,
Jas. Adger & co, Charleston,
Morrell & Dickey, Mobile,
T. B. Curtis, Esq, Boston,
Geo. B. Cumming, Savannah.
Gold dust bought or insured, and forwarded to the U. States at the lowest rates. o1

W. SCHLEIDEN,
*Ship and Custom House Broker.*
Montgomery street, opposite the Custom-house, or at his house in Broadway, between Dupont and Stockton streets. o4


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# DAILY PACIFIC NEWS.

FRIDAY MORNING, NOV. 1, 1850.

J. WINCHESTER.....EDITOR.
H. L. WINANTS and C. M. BLAKE, *Assistants*

☞ The Office of Publication is on the second story of the building, in Montgomery street, occupied by Payne & Sherwood, Auctioneers, where advertisements and communications may be left. The management of the business of the establishment will be under the charge of Mr. A. SKILLMAN.

☞ Thompson & Hitchcock, agents of Gregory's Express, corner of Wall and Pearl streets, New York, are authorized to receive advertisements and subscriptions for the Pacific News.

AGENTS FOR THE PACIFIC NEWS.—Col. Joseph Grant is an Agent for Sacramento City and the valley above.

D. H. Mason, Esq. will hereafter act for us in San Jose, to whom subscriptions may be paid.

OFFICE WANTED—Suitable rooms for the Printing and Publication Offices of the *Pacific News* are wanted, in some central and eligible situation in or near Montgomery street. Rooms in a brick building preferred: or any party about to erect a brick edifice may make an arrangement with the publishers by application at the office.


## *PUBLIC SCHOOLS IN CALIFORNIA.*

Most of us did not come hither to settle in this country, but only to reside in it for a time, and then to return. We left wife and babes, dear relatives and strong ties behind us, and we did not expect to call them around us here. We wrapped ourselves in the stoicism of a voluntary exile, and salied forth in quest of fortune, health, or adventures.

It is plain, however, that all did not thus come. Some brought home and household gods along with them, and desired here to find a resting place. And some who came with no such intention, have fully resolved here to make to themselves a permanent abode. By these are the lasting interests of society to be promoted on this coast, to them is committed the sacred interests of its destiny.

And who of us will willingly stand in their way, or oppose the slightest obstacle to their prosperity and advancement? Who will not rather stand by and aid them as we can in all these most worthy and laudable designs? The true greatness and pride of the young State is not to be sought in pageantry and pomp, but in the high culture and elevated character of all its citizens.

To effect this, we as Americans all recognize the pre-eminent value of *school education*. The family can and may do very much; but it is not likely to do all. Its influence, like the power of devotion in the closet, or piety in the heart, is secret and silent, and blessed. But there must come the "marshalling in arms," the dust and din of the battle of life; and for this the training of schools is well calculated to fit the youth of mankind.

Besides, and not least frequently, the holy influence of home and religion, the training of piety and truth, is not always to be found in all the families in society. And the children of such as these, above all, need the advantages of protracted teaching in schools. These schools, too, must be *public ones*. Those who need them most are the last to appreciate them.

We believe that California is to enter upon her career in full vigor in this, as in all respects. There are children enough here already; and the first year's experience, has now been passed. A few schools, and good ones as we know, have been already formed in San Francisco, in San Jose, and in Stockton and Sacramento. The beginning has been a good one so far as it goes. They should be still more liberally encouraged. All the people feel friendly to the cause of public education. And had every father in California his own little flock around him, there would be no lack of public interest in the matter.

We were much interested to see displayed in the midst of the assembled thousands in the Plaza on Tuesday last, a banner, not noticed, we believe, by any of the reporters present, with the inscription on it:—"*The First Public School in California*" Around it were clustered some scores of children, with hearts all full of delightful sensations, and enjoying, if it were possible—and we do not doubt it—more happiness than any other, in the vast throng. They were accompanied by their head teacher, Mr. J. C. Pelton, and his assistants, who have been unobtrusively laboring for the past ten months in educating all the children in San Francisco, which could be gathered together.

We have been acquainted with his operations in this department for the past six months, and can testify to his zeal, efficiency, and success. The school has been constantly on the increase ever since, and now numbers 140 pupils, most of whom attend steadily. Being many of them children whose parents are unable to pay for their education, it becomes necessary to look to some other source for the support of their teacher. And we regret to say that here in the "land of gold," the schoolmaster has been badly paid, and that he still asks the City Council in vain for relief.

This is all wrong. "It is better to pay the butcher than the doctor;" and to build school houses, than prisons. We go for paying the Recorder, and the Marshal, and the Street Commissioner, and their clerks and deputies, liberally; but don't let us starve the school-master, who is doing a far better and more useful work than they all. They are useful, but he is indispensable, if we would live in civilized society at all. *Pay him, then, and pay him well, we say.* And so must all say, we are persuaded. It is not a large sum, but its useful effects will be seen after we all are laid beneath the clods of the valley.

Mr. P. came to this country a year ago, accompanied by his young wife, by whom he is ably assisted in the school; and they design making this their home. Let us not be willing to hinder them in their work of patience and of love for the good of the youth of our growing city. They certainly can and do labor with a contentedness and a spirit well worthy of the good cause in which they are engaged.

## *THE CURRENCY.*

Placer gold, at present time, it seems, is again at a discount. It is even quoted as low as $15, but it cannot be well cleansed to bear that price. Every day shows how great is the loss we sustain in having no mint. For our part, we think the Mexican plan, where a metallic currency is exclusively used, is by far better than our own. At least, if the assay and the mechanical execution be properly attended to. In that country, mints are established in all the large cities, which renders the transportation of gold and silver to and from them, quite unnecessary.

In so vastly extended a country as our own, the idea of a great *central mint*, certainly is one of the relics of the ancient "federalism" or *centralization*, which looks more like a trace of the times when the "purse and the sword" were in the hands of one man, who kept the money in his strong box. The various operations in this country in coining the gold of the placers, show that it is not so extremely difficult a work. The elegance of some of these coins, is almost, if not quite equal to that produced by the more elaborate methods practised in the marble *casa blanca* of Philadelphia. But we do not regard metallic currency as the most desirable, as it certainly is not the sole currency of a great commercial and highly civilized and refined people. The piles of dollars, and the chinking of specie on a monte table, or as seen in the great marts of Mexico, is certainly "barbaric music," if our ears have any of the symphonies of civilization yet remaining in them. The deep and quiet vaults of the Bank of England is the place for such sounds, if heard at all, and give us the check for ten thousand, which is always cashed "at sight," and which one can slip into the pocket of his spotless vest with his dainty kids, if you please, and on again unmolested in the mazes of the dance or of business. Who then "would fardels bear," in carrying a savage's load of dollars, could he "his quietus make" so easily as that?

CAUSES OF THE FIRE.—The fire, it appears, broke out in the rear of the building known as "Irene's." Whether it was the result of carelessness from within, or of the incendiary's torch, or of the madman who is said to have hurled coals from the window of the hospital upon the roof of the house, perhaps can never be perfectly ascertained. It is certain that the elements in several parts of the city appeared unusually inflammable, night before last. No less than two or three alarms of fire were given before it actually began at Irene's. The populace were unusually restless all night.

THE RUINS.—One remarkable feature of all our fires here is, that scarcely a trace, except the blackened earth, remains to note the former site. The Hospital which stood upon the brow of the hill, has vanished like the "baseless fabric of a vision," leaving only the bare surface of the earth, and an open cistern which will shortly be filled up with rubbish. And of the place of pleasure, nought remains but the fragments of the lamp, which once, like Aladdin's, allured, by its brightness, the votaries of love and gold.

A CREDITABLE FACT.—It is a fact as creditable as it is remarkable, that notwithstanding the celebration of Tuesday was participated in by every class and men of every country, not a single arrest for drunkenness or rowdyism was made by the police during the day or night.

A BEAUTIFUL PICTURE.—In the upper story of the auction rooms of Mr. Hart, on Montgomery street, there is a window some four or five feet in height, and during the marching of the procession on Tuesday, this space was entirely filled with the fair faces of our California ladies. It was a beautiful picture, and attracted much attention.

STATE SCRIP.—The Transcript says that State scrip sells readily at 85 cents.

## *THE NEXT LEGISLATURE.*

Below we give the names and political classification of the members of the next Legislature, as far as the best information reaches Mr Woodworth, a Whig, from the 4th Senatorial District, is now in the States, and will not return to take his seat, which of course creates a vacancy. We copy from the Sacramento *Transcript*:

SENATE.

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| 1st District, | Warner, | Dem. |
| 2d do | Hope, | Whig |
| 3d do | De la Guerra, | whig (?) |
| 4th do | Woodworth; | " |
| 5th do | Tingley, | " |
| 6th do | Heydenfelt, / Broderick, | dem. |
| 7th do | Van Buren, | " |
| 8th do | Douglass, | whig |
| 9th do | Lippincott, | " |
| 10th do | Miller, | dem. |
| 11th do | Cook, | " |
| 12th do | Robinson, | " |
| 13th do | Green, | " |
| 14th do | Crosby, | " |
| 15th do | Adams, | " |

ASSEMBLY.

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| San Diego, | Cook. | Doubtful |
| Los Angeles, | —— | democrat |
| | —— | do |
| Santa Barbara, | Covarubias, | whig |
| | Pico, | dem. |
| San Luis Obispo | —— | dem. |
| Monterey, | Randall, | dem. |
| Santa Cruz, | Kellogg, | independ't |
| Santa Clara, | Campbell. | whig |
| | Bodley, | whig |
| Contra Costa, | Brown, | whig |
| | Carr, | whig |
| | Wethered, | whig |
| San Francisco, | Bennett, | whig |
| | Thorne, | whig |
| | Hoff, | dem. |
| San Joaquin, | McDougal, | whig |
| | Yeiser, | dem. |
| Calaveras, | Lynd, | dem. |
| | Mann, | dem. |
| | Moore, | whig |
| Tuolumne, | Baldwin, | whig |
| | Wilkins, | whig |
| Mariposa, | Taylor, | dem. |
| | Ormsby, | doubtful |
| | Bigler, | dem. |
| Sacramento, | Dunlap, | whig |
| | Robinson, | dem. |
| El Dorado, | Kendrick | dem. |
| | Hall, | dem. |
| Marin, | | |
| Sonoma, | | |
| Napa, | Bradford, | dem. |
| Solano, | | |
| Mendocino, | | |
| Yolo, | | |
| Colusi, | Crane, | whig |
| Trinity, | | |
| Sutter, | McCorkle, | dem. |
| Yuba, | Field, | dem. |
| Butte, | Saunders, | dem. |
| Shasta, | McCandless, | doubtful |

RECAPITULATION.

*Senate*—Democrats 9, Whigs 7; democratic majority, 2.

*Assembly*—Democrats 18, Whigs 14, Independent 1, Doubtful 8; democratic plurality, 4.

*Joint Ballot*—Democrats, 27, Whigs, 21, Doubtful and Independents, 4; democratic majsrity 2.

☞ From a communication in the Sacramento Transcript, from Dr. John F. Morse, in relation to the death of Dr. Noble, by cholera, we make the following extract, which should not be without its influence upon our own citizens. There is no doubt but that the various drugs and patent medicine remedies which are too frequently resorted to, do more to hurry on than to allay the disease The communication to which we allude, says:

"I regard this case, gentlemen, as exceedingly instructive to the people of Sacramento just at this time. It shows to my mind, most conclusively, where the main impulse to this disease originates. Where there is one case of this disease originating in any peculiar state of the atmosphere, or contact with foreign or remote causes, I believe nine cases originate in the excessive anxiety and depressing fear which prevails in the community.

I have seen men who probably have not taken a glass of brandy and water for years, who are now swallowing it with a voracity that almost staggers an old toper. Others are carrying about them constantly, the various specifics, which are, I believe, doing more to spread the disorder, than the vilest malaria that ever committed aggressions upon the animal economy. Other men are going about the city with huge pieces of camphor in their pockets, a crumb of which is taken whenever a diseased fancy suggests the propriety. All my intercourse with the physicians of this city assures me that I am speaking the truth. Where people throw themselves into the hands of their physicians, and are satisfied to be guided by their advice, there is little fear of cholera.

From physicians I cannot gather any information of the severe prevalence of this disease, and their general opinion is, I believe, that a great portion of the cases are entirely due to the influences I have enumerated."

CORRECTION.—The *Picayune* of Wednesday has a statement charging neglect in the case of John Collier, who died of Cholera near the Montgomery House. The facts are, that the attending physician made out the customary certificate of the cause of death, and sent a messenger to the sexton, notifying him to make the customary disposition of the body. The services of the coroner were no more needed in this case, than in any others that occur daily.

CHOLERA AND FILTH.—The cholera has been more destructive among the Kanakas than any other class, especially those living in tents. On Sunday, when the City Sexton went to bury one of them, he found the body lying within ten feet of the putrid carcass of a mule.

☞ The wreck of the Sagamore still lies on the flats off Bush street filled with water and rubbish. From the nature of the accident, it cannot be doubted that quite a number of dead bodies will be found in it.

From the conversation we had on Wednesday with Mr. J. H. Cills, of New York, who was in the extreme aft of the cabin at the time of the explosion, and experienced no harm, we learn that at the time there was no other person than himself in the cabin. He was alone, reading. He had often travelled to and from Stockton in the Sagamore. Most of those on board were deck passengers.

Mr. C. was not called before the inquest of the Coroner. His name, we believe, has not been before given to the public. He escaped through the cabin windows, in doing which he cut his right hand badly. The crash of the furnace on the quarter deck, must have carried several down beneath its weight.

QUICK WORK.—Within the memory of even the young inhabitants of San Francisco, the time required to discharge a ship's cargo at our wharves, was almost as great as a passage to the Sandwich Islands. Now, however, the arrangements of some of our wharf owners are such that a cargo can be discharged with unsurpassed facility. The ship St. Patrick, Capt. Waterman, from New York, discharged eighteen hundred tons of goods at Cunningham's Wharf, in twenty days. A similar amount of merchandize was probably never thrown upon our wharves by any one ship in a similar length of time.

AN OMISSION.—In our notice of the procession and ceremonies of Tuesday last, we omitted to state the fact that the children of the public school under Mr. and Mrs. Pelton, made their appearance upon the ground in front of the speaker's stand. They numbered over one hundred, bearing a banner with the inscription, "First Public School of California." Their appearance and numbers were certainly not the least interesting portion of the ceremonies, and reflected much credit upon the teachers in the school.

☞ We regret to learn of the death of H. B. Williams, Esq, formerly a merchant on Sansome street, of this city. He died of cholera, in Panama, just previous to the sailing of the Republic. He came here something like a year since, from Rochester, N. Y., and returned in May last, and was on his way back when attacked by the disease which resulted in death.

Mr. W. was at one time one of the largest wheat and milling operators in Western New York, and had a very extensive circle of friends.

GOOD BOOKS.—We happened on Monday to take a look in upon our friend T. J. Nevins, Esq, Secretary of the "Pacific Tract Society," in Washington street, first door below the Baptist chapel.

In addition to a large assortment of the valuable publications of that Society—and we have been gratified to note the elegance of the mechanical execution of these volumes of late years,—we observed some very excellent school books, such as we can recommend for use.

THE ILLUSTRATED NEWS.—Number four of this publication, which has just been issued from the press, is decidedly the best that has made its appearance. The illustrations are very good, and the paper of excellent quality. We are glad to see these evidences of success. The paper can be had at the store of Cooke & Lecount, Montgomery street.

SHIPMENTS OF GOLD.—Robinson & Bissell forward by the Panama today. $2.000,000.

Adams & Co., per Northerner of yesterday, sent $180,000. They send to-day $300,000, making $450,000, the largest shipment, we believe, they have ever taken.

Gregory & Co. send $78,000—a decidedly increasing business.

REMOVAL OF CITY HOSPITAL.—Dr Smith has removed all his patients, and taken possession of the large building in Pacific Street, formerly known as the "Waverly House," near Kearney street. We regret to learn that several of his patients, who were hardly expected to survive, have since died.

MORE DEATHS FROM THE EXPLOSION.—F. F. Reny, we learn, died yesterday morning, at the Marine Hospital, from the effects of his severe burns and broken leg. James Lloyd, the cook, also died at the City Hospital.

"THE ONLY CORRECT COPY.—An evening paper apprises its readers that it publishes "the only correct copy of the Oration." "We" are getting to be "some pumpkins."

THE HOSPITAL.—The Waverly House on Pacific street, is now used as a City Hospital.

QUERY.—Is Miller from Mariposa, a Whig or Democrat?

☞ A Democrat.

## *A NEW MAP.*

We have been presented with a very beautiful draft of a Map of the country from Cape Mendocino to the mouth of the Columbia River, extending from the coast to the Sierra Nevada, and to the Cascade mountains in Oregon. It is done entirely with a pen, and is the work of Mr. Thomas Hopkins, of the house of Winchester, Paine & Co. of this city. Mr. H has visited and explored the region of the Umpqua Valley which occupies the central part of the draft. The Klamath region is after Ehrenberg and others; while the Columbia and the Cascade Mountains, are mainly after Wilkes' and Fremont's explorations and surveys.

We intend to send this, together with a variety of other maps which we have been some time collecting, by Gregory's Express to-day, to a distinguished house in Philadelphia, now engaged in collecting materials for a thorough, comprehensive map of the U. S. Thus grows the knowledge of Geography. Little by little men become acquainted with the surface of the little planet they inhabit. What know they yet of its *interior?* The gold chincking up the crannies and the crevices, and scattered among the *debris* of the Sierra—what does that unfold of the vast profound of the deep centre of the globe!

How much know we yet of the country to the north of Oregon, or along the Rio Colorado? Or of Africa, or Australia interior, or Japan, and the long central line of Asia. In the lapse of passing centuries some truth is scattered along the course, some new developments brought to light. And yet we know only in part. But we are straying from the subject of the Map and the Umpqua whither so many are now bound to make themselves a home.

☞ In our report of Mr. Coffee the State Inspector's testimony before the inquest, as published yesterday morning, he was made to say that he had conversed with the captain and officers of the Sagamore but two days previous to the disaster, and had pointed out the danger resulting from too great a pressure of steam upon her boiler. It was with the captain and officers of the "Victor Constant," that he conversed, and not with those of the Sagamore, a correction which we are happy to make.

A NEW EXCHANGE.—By the boat from Sacramento last night, through Hawley & Co's Express, we received the second number, dated yesterday, of a new paper published in that city, and called "THE DAILY TRIBUNE." It is of the same size as the other papers from that place. Its publishers are Louis M. Booth & Co. Mr. Booth being editor. We cordially extend the right hand to Mr. Booth, and welcome his journal to our table.

## *MORTALITY OF SACRAMENTO,*

For the 24 hours ending 8 p. m. Tuesday evening.

Oct. 28—Mrs. Ellen O'Brien, 40, Ireland, cholera, Wm. Pryor, 30, O., fever, John Patten, Illinois,

Oct. 29—E. R. Oakley, 41, cholera, Thomas Dibble, 28, Ohio, diarrhœa, Wilson Bennett, 32, Wisconsin, fever, John G. Colton, 25, Natchez, cholera, James Bertholf, 30, Wisconsin, cholera, Thomas Massey, 30, N. J., Diarrhœa, Geo. D. Co.ey, Mass. cholera, David Burns, Mo., erysipelas, Stranger, [Irishman] found dead, Peter Graham, 24, N. Y., cholera, Charles Heath, 29, Conn. cholera, J. W. Richards, 40, Ky., cholera, Peter Roulas, Belgium, cholera, Wm. Goodrich, 50, Mass., cholera, John H. Johnson, 26, Ala., cholera, Thomas Knox, 24, Ala., cholera, Henry Anson, 28, Ohio, cholera, Dr. Geo. W. Noble, 30, Germany, cholera, Mrs. C. Hart.

For the 24 hours ending 8 P. M., Wednesday evening

Oct. 28—A. Davis Adams, aged 27, Mass., cholera, Mr. Green, 26, Tenn. billious fever, John Wallace, 21, Eengland, cholera, J. D. Wells, 21, N Albany, dysentery, Mr. McElroy, Mr. Kurtz, diarrhœa, F. Miller, inflammation of the lungs.

Oct. 30—R. Jenkins, 30, N Y cholera, John Cling, N Y, cholera, Samue Holmes, Ill., fever, John Bates, 35 D. C., cholera, a Frenchman, 40 cholera; D. C. Brooks, Michigan; Mrs. Parrot, France; Maren Menda, Spaniard, cholera; James, ditto; Nicholas, Illinois; John Howard, Duncan Mc Pherson, Asher Kicher, Charlotte Saunders, Jos H Pendleton, Matthias Goram, all of cholera; Jacob Sexton, Ark.; diarrhoea; Edward A. Steele, 37, N. Y., cholera.

CHOLERA AMONG INDIANS.—We are informed by a friend just down from Feather river, that the cholera had appeared among the Indians who have a village opposite Nicolaus.—Five died last Friday. The Indians have a singular mode of treatment for this disease. When the subject is taken, several of them carry him down to the river and immerse him, leaving him there until he can bear it no longer, when they take him out and place him in the sun. The operation is repeated until the person dies or recovers. We learn that several Indians have died at the village below Sutterville.—*Transcript.*

## Baker's Bay—Pacific City.

OREGON CITY, October 4, 1850.

MESSRS. EDITORS:

Some two weeks since, I saw, in the "*Alta California*," an article which purported to be a report of the U. S. Commissioners, relative to their survey of the mouth of the Columbia river. This report, seems to be very particular relative to the *South* channel, where it would seem, vessels may enter the river with perfect safety. But from that report the reader will naturally get the idea that there *is no North channel*, unless it be the remains of one nearly filled up and lost.

Much interest is naturally felt by the commercial world, in relation to a *good* entrance at the mouth of such a river as the Columbia, which drains a basin so extensive and so fertile. Now, if it be a fact that the South channel is *good* and *permanent*, it certainly is, to the world, of incalculable advantage; but if observation should prove said channel to be changable, we must, to say the least, consider it dangerous, unless a *good*, *deep*, and *permanent* entrance to the river's mouth can be found.

Notwithstanding the apparently partial character of the report, I propose to show that navigators have for many years, known a *good*, *deep*, and *permanent* channel, termed the "North channel," which passes over the bar, and is *direct*, to a fine bay, called "Baker's Bay," near the mouth of the river.

As to the *South channel*, heretofore alluded to, Mr. Wilkes and others have, at different times, surveyed, and *have found it*; but it has been as often changed or lost: lastly, Capt. White, a pilot, surveyed and *found it*, and *let time declare its destiny*. One thing is, however, remarkable—the South channel has not been fonnd twice in the same place, and in no case could a vessel drawing over fifteen feet of water, pass through it. Now, *during all this time*, extending back nearly forty years, vessels of larger size have entered through the "North channel," which has never shown any symptoms of change in the least particular, and which is large and deep, leading in a direct line over the bar, into "Baker's Bay," and thence up the river. The following is an extract from a report of Capt. Augustus Proal, who entered the river twenty-nine years ago, and which I offer, to substantiate my position.

"In the spring of 1821, I think it was, during the month of March, I entered the Columbia, on board the ship "Alexander," of Boston. We anchored in Baker's Bay in consequence (as the crew understood it) of their being no chart on board, of the channel of the river, and only an *imperfect sketch* of the entrance to the harbor, drawn by one of the Captains in the same employ, who had previously visited the harbor."

Here we see the facility which Capt. P. passed through the channel *without a chart*, and not only finding a *good channel* but a *fine and safe* harbor. Hear him further, relative to expecting trouble with the Indians:

"Which induced our Captain to move the ship down to Baker's Bay again, where we remained some time, perhaps a fortnight or more. While we lay there, I remember distinctly our having some stormy weather, from what point of the compass I cannot now recollect; but *I do remember* that the *perfect safety and convenience* of the place, as a *fine harbor* was remarked by the crew generally, and I think a simple reference to the charts of the harbor will confirm my statement—for the several banks at the entrance must ever prevent a heavy sea from coming in. If the banks are not a protection to "Baker's Bay," or that part of it which is otherwise unprotected, then the anchorage at Fort George must be vastly worse off, for it lies entirely open to the broad mouth of the whole river. A simple glance at a chart of the river must convince any disinterested and unprejudiced person of the superiority of the anchorage in "Baker's Bay" over any other spot in the neighborhood, on the river, according to my judgment.

Very respectfully, yours, &c.,
AUGUSTUS PROAL,
Commanding ship, of Newburgport, Mass."

Here we see what the channel and bay were, twenty-nine years ago. We will now see how it is at the present time. Hear Capt. Bailey, commander of the steamer PANAMA.

"'Baker's Bay' possesses the great advantages of a *fine* and *safe* harbor, easy of access *at all times*."

What more can any one ask? Hear Messrs. Edwards and Edmonds, who have acted here as pilots for the last four years:

"That we have brought them (vessels) in at the North channel, and anchored them in Baker's Bay: that there is four and a half fathoms of water in the North channel at the *lowest tide*: that said channel is of sufficient width to *beat in*, and is the *only* channel of sufficient depth of water for vessels to enter at during the high winds that prevail throughout the winter season; and in fact, is the *only* channel at *any* season, at which vessels of heavy draught of water can *enter with perfect safety*: that vessels can anchor in Baker's Bay in from three to twelve fathoms of water, and that the bay is sufficiently capacious to *accommodate several hundred vessels*. The *holding ground* (*blue clay*) is as good as in any harbor in the world: that there is no necessity for vessels being detained either coming in or going out, on account of head winds, eight-and-forty hours at any season of the year. * * * * * That we have seen nine vessels anchored in Baker's Bay at one and the same time, during the prevalence of the strong Southerly gales in the winter season, and that they all, without a single exception, rode in perfect safety at single anchor."

Now, if the foregoing is not sufficient to establish what I proposed to show relative to the *North channel* and Baker's Bay, just read the letters on this subject published recently by Capt. Crosby. Further, if necessary, the testimony to these facts might easily be produced from hundreds.

I had flattered myself that the Government Survey would *forever remove* the imagined difficulties which hang as a dark cloud over the mouth of the Columbia river; but if we believe the report, we *are* as we *were*—on the same *sandy foundation* as before. But gentlemen will say *this is a Government report*. Well, suppose it is, we *do know* that the heads of Government *err sometimes*, and shall we believe their agents *infallible?* Perhaps if Capt. —— had been one day earlier in attempting to secure land on Baker's Bay, and also, that certain individuals had not located claims on the South bank of the river, the fine and permanent NORTH CHANNEL, together with the *large and safe* BAKER'S BAY would have been discovered, and not quite so much anxiety manifested relative to the shallow, transitory South channel.

Is it possible that the agents of the people will present *partial* reports on such important matters? If so, the people better do their own business, where life and property are concerned.

A. JACKMAN, Prof. Math.

THE "GEORGIA CITIZEN."—We find the following paragraph credited to the *Georgia Citizen*, and it is, doubtless, one of those which caused other *citizens*, of a more substantial nature, to command the editor to disconue his paper:

"We are indebted (says the *Georgia Citizen*) to a *friend* at Eufaula, for a *fac-simile* of the *cockade* just adopted by the Disunionists of the *short* staple class in Alabama, and to be worn by the commissioned and non-commissioned officers of the bloody Quattlebum Legion, when the allied troops of the ultra Northern and Southern wings unite their forces to overthrow the Republic of 'E Pluribus Unum.' This emblem of the 'chivalry,' is exceedingly appropriate and significant. It is in the form and figure of a *black hat*, with wings extended and in the act of catching gallinippers! The *color* is symbolical of the cause, and the *tout-ensemble* is significant of the '*blind as a bat*' policy of the whole party! In truth, the choice thus made of a badge of distinction in the coming fight, is peculiarly felicitous and characteristic. It is at once the similitude of *blind folly and black-hearted* corruption!!"

SILVER ORE.—The *Knoxville Register* says that silver ore has been found near Cumberland Falls, in Kentucky, which promises to yield a profitable return to those who may engage in mining it.—The vein discovered is said to extend the distance of a mile, and is ten feet in depth. The supply is thought to be inexhaustable.

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## FROM SACRAMENTO.

By the last night's boat, papers were furnished us at an early hour by Hawley & Co's Express.

We were pained to learn by a verbal report of the increase of cholera. Twenty deaths, it was stated, had taken place before 12 o'clock yesterday.

We give what extracts of interest we meet with.

"POPULATION OF MARYSVILLE.—We find the following table in the Marysville Herald of Tuesday last, which gives the population of Marysville according to the census.

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| Americans, | 1,167 | Males | 1,321 |
| Foreigners, | 261 | Females | 107 |
| Total | 1,428 | | 1,428 |

The Herald will recollect that in the article it alludes to, we set the population at about 1200. We shall be satisfied if we always hit as near the mark. Before we published our estimate, we were informed by one of the first citizens of Marysville, that he thought the town contained about 5000 inhabitants.

CORONER'S INQUESTS.—The Coroner held two inquests yesterday, one on the body of a man found dead in a whale boat, named Manual Zay, a Portugues from Fayal; the other a Frenchman, who died on the levee at the back of the zinc building. The only name that could be learned was "Charley." Verdict of jury was that both came to their death by sleeping in the night air and from a want of medical attendance after they were taken sick.

NEWS FROM THE SCENE OF DIFFICULTIES.—We have been informed by a gentleman who has been residing on the Macosumnes, that a short time ago there was a large number of Indians encamped on that river, at the eastern frontier, south east of Weberville; but that they very suddenly disappeared. He informs us that about the first of last week a man by the name of Jones went out to look for some animals that had strayed away. As he was absent for two or three days, much uneasiness was felt for him. Finally, on Tuesday of last week, a party of between thirty and forty miners armed themselves and went out in search of the missing man. They discovered his body, pierced with arrows, near an Indian camp. Whereupon they went directly on in pursuit of the Indians to punish them. They were successful in finding a few, whom they killed. The party returned last Saturday.

It seems that the whole section of country is threatened with depredations. We learn that a party of Indians went to the Miners on Dry creek, and notified them to leave there, since the Indians intended to work those *placers* themselves this winter. Hostilities are threatened even as far down as the Mokelumne. The Indians seemed to have collected together to the east of the frontier settlements. We hear of no armed band at the west.—*Transcript.*

### DIED.

In Sacramento, on the 30th inst., of cholera, D. C. Brooks, formerly of Detroit, in the 35th year of his age.

On the 29th inst, at the Brighton Hotel, Brighton, of cholera, A. Davis Adams, of Roxbury, Mass., aged 31 years.

## MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

*CLEARED.*

THURSDAY Oct. 31.

Steamship Northerner, Randall, Panama.
Ship Saratoga, Trask, Calcutta.
Ship Magnollia, Stale, Talcuhuana.
Ship Asia, Ginwood, Mazatlan.
Bark Louisiana, McKendry, Oregon.
Brig Itasca, Dowett, Valparaiso.
Schr Edward L Frost, Rogers, Sandwich Islands.

*ARRIVED*

Ship Carrington, Abbott, 128 ds fm New York, to Macondray & co.

Equatorian ship America, Calderon, 51 ds fm Guayquil, to master.

Ship Affghan, Copeland, 197 ds fm New York, to master.

Br bark Julundur, Burn, 75 ds fm Newcastle, N S W, to master.

Bark Wm Kennedy, Treadway, 50 ds fm Panama, in ballast, to master.

Bark Callao, Dearborn, 219 ds fm Boston, via Rio de Janeiro, to H Connor.

Br brig Lady Harvey, Hay, 120 ds from Rio de Janeiro, via Valparaiso, to master.

Schr Jas L Day, Hemstead, 28 ds fm Lahaina, to master.

*SPOKEN.*

By the Callao, August 1st, in lat 46 36 s, long 61 26 w, bark Autumn, fm Mystic, for this port; Oct 25th, lat 35 17 n, long 132 37 w, brig Rufus Soule, from N York, do; Oct 19th, Br Union, hence for Sandwich Islands, lat 29 48 n, 134 56 w.

By the Lady Harvey, July 23d, at the entrance of Straits La Mair, schr Harrison, fm Dorchester, for this port; same day, ship S R Howell, fm Balt, for Callao.

By the Carrington, August 17th, in lat 40 23 s, long 54 w, bark Baltic, fm Phila, for this port; Aug 29th, ship Coriolanus, fm N York, for do, last fm Montevideo.

*MEMORANDA.*

On the 10th Aug, the American left at Guayaquil, ship Taralinta, hence, repairing, bound for Valparaiso; a brig and schr were going in, the latter fm this port, with loss of masts.

Per Jas L Day—Brig Mary Wild, hence, arr at Lahaina, 3d Oct; schrs Anglona and Spartacus, were to sail for this port 10th inst.

The Affghan, reports the ship Rome, fm N York, off the mouth of the harbor.

Bark Ohio, hence, had arr at Newcastle, and was ldg with coals for this port, August 17th.

## BUSINESS NOTICES.

☞ MARIPOSA MINING STOCK for sale. Any wishing to make an investment in this valuable mine, will have an opportunity by making immediate application at the office of SHATTUCK & SON,
o31 2t Attornies at Law, Commercial st.

☞ MASONIC NOTICE.—The officers and members of Davy Crockett Lodge, No. 7, A meeting will be held at the hall on Kearny street, at 7 o'clock P. M. Punctual attendance is requested on business of importance. By order of JAMES KNOWLES, J. W.
n1 ROBERT D. KIMBALL, Sec'y.

☞ NOTICE—The consignees of the following articles per brig VIRGINIA, from Providence R I., are hereby notified that unless they call on the subscribers on or before Nov. 5, they will be sold at auction on Wednesday, Nov. 6th, by STARR, MINTURN & Co., Washington street, to pay freight and charges; viz., 14,579 feet pine boards and spruce joists, shipped by Vincent, Gerald & Green, and consigned to order; 51,429 feet boards, timber and joist, 11,000 southern cedar shingles, 2,000 clapboards, one wagon, 26 boxes merchandize, 10 kegs nails, 3 kegs white lead, 10 gals paint oil, one door, shipped by Samuel A. Gerald, and consigned to order; 25,549 feet planed pine boards, 1,092 feet hard pine joist, 1,213 feet 2x2 1-2 inch planks, 400 bundles dressed cypress clapboards, shipped by James M. Earle, and consigned to Cooke, Baker & Co. W. H. MOSHER & Co.,
o30tn6] 13 Miner's Building, Washington st.

☞ NOTICE.—Consignee per bark BOHEMIA, Captain Lofland, for building materials marked C. G. H., consigned to order, is requested to come forward, pay freight, and receive his goods, on or before the 1st day of November, 1850, otherwise they will be sold to pay freight and charges, the terms of the bills lading having expired.

T. S. Barnstead,
o30 3t City Steam Mills, foot Jackson st.

☞ ADAMS & Co., will dispatch a SPECIAL MESSENGER by the steamer NORTHERNER, to sail on the 31st inst., and steamer P to sail Nov. 1st.
Go. ived up to 10 P. M. on THURS ERS and PACKAGES up to 12 M. on FRIDAY, the day of sailing.
o28 5t

☞ EXPRESS TO NEW YORK AND NEW ORLEANS—The undersigned, having insurance policies in the Atlantic Mutual and other offices, and one of the best fire and thief proof vaults in California, we are enabled to furnish the best security to persons sending treasure by this line, and to whom no charges are made for depositing

Central office of Gregory's U. S. Express, 280 Montgomery street, San Francisco

JOSEPH W. GREGORY, Proprietor.

Business orders, &c. forwarded daily, to and from Sacramento City and Marysville.

Office in Sacramento City, corner of J street and the levee.

o22 G. E CLARK, Agent.

NOTICE—The subscriber will leave for the States per steamer Carolina, and has appointed Mr. I. C. Woods his Attorney during his temporary absence.

A & Co. are about making arrangements to establish their Express to and from New Orleans. [o11 2m] D. H. HASKELL.

☞ NOTICE—Masters of vessels requring Pilots outward, or wishing to settle pilotage bills, will please call at the office corner of Montgomery and California streets opposite the Custom House, or at Charles Minturn's office of steamer Senators and New World, Clark's Point.

W. J. Burnside, } Agents.
o1 James Nelson. }

☞ SHIP MEMNON.—Capt. Gordon, from New York, is ready to discharge Consignees by this vessel are requested to call at the office of the subscriber, pay freight and receive an order for their goods. Terms of bills of lading will be strictly observed, as the ship must have dispatch.

F. A SANFORD,
o1 1m foot Pine street.

☞ LAWS OF CALIFORNIA.—A few complete setts, bound and in board, of the Acts of the first Legislature of this State, may be obtained at the Pacific News office, at a reduced price if called for soon. o14 tf

☞ Health Commissioner's Office—Dr John J. Thorp, Health Commissioner, Office in Iron Building, at the end of ower foot of Jackson street. o1 tf

☞ RULES OF PRACTICE OF THE COUNTY COURT of SAN FRANCISCO—Sitting for the Trial of Appeals:

1. It shall be the duty of Justices of the Peace to endorse on the transcript the names of the Attorneys, if any, who appeared on the trial before him.

2. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to make up a docket of the causes entered for trial, in the order in which the appeal papers are filed; one copy for the court, and one for the use of the Bar.

3. Causes may be entered at the foot of the docket for trial, at any time during the first week of the term, by filing a stipulation to that effect.

4. A day docket of Jury causes will be made up after the first day of the term, from the regular docket, in their order, and of such as may be specially set down for trial by the Court, a list of which shall be posted by the Clerk on the Court-room door, and none others will be called for trial that day.

5. The party or attorney moving a jury cause for trial shall pay the jurors fees on the rendition of the verdict, and in default thereof will be held as standing in contempt, and liable to attachment.

6. After the first day of the term, if neither party answer on a cause being called in its order, it will go to the foot of the docket.

7. No default will be taken on the first day of the term, and no cause will be tried on that day, except both parties are ready

8. In cases where a jury is waived, it shall be the duty of the parties or their attorn a stipulation to that effect with of the Court on the first day of the

9. Witnesses may be examined *de bene esse* before the Commissioners appointed by this Court, on one day's notice to the opposite party, and in cases of emergency on such notice as the circumstances may allow

10. Special motions will be heard on each day, at the opening of the Court, at ten o'clock, A. M., on one day's notice, or on an order to show cause.

11. The Court will be kept open by adjournment after the docket is disposed of, for hearing motions and such other business as may be necessary, on Monday of each week, at 12 M., until the commencement of next term.

12. In all cases not herein provided for, the rules of practice of the District Court will be followed. o19 tf

## AUCTION SALES.

By STARR, MINTURN & Co. Auctioneers
(*Minturn's Building, Washington street.*)

TO MORROW, Friday, Nov. 1st, at 10 o'clock, at their auction room.

*Sheet Iron*—120 bundles sheet iron.

*Pickled Cabbage*—100 kegs pickled cabbage in handsome packages.

*Salt*—150 sacks salt.

*Tobacco*—250 boxes prime honey dew tobacco, in tins. o31

By STARR, MINTURN & Co. Auctioneers.
(*Minturn's Building, Washington street.*)

STARR, MINTURN & Co. Monday, Nov. 4th, at 10 o'clock, at their auction room. Protest having been entered by the master of the ship "Hindoo," from New York, against the undermentioned goods uncalled for within twenty days after the ship's arrival, agreeably with the bills of lading, notice is hereby given that I shall expose for sale at the auction room of Starr, Minturn & Co, on Monday the 4th day of November, at 10 o'clock,

N. G. & Co. 200 bbls cement, shipped by John Mace and consigned to Nathaniel Gray & Co. Francis Salmon, 1 box and 13 pieces in straw, shipped by Wm. G. Harper, and consigned to James Salmon. H in diamond 95 pieces lumber, 54 bundles lumber, 2 bundles sash, 1 box hardware, 3 kegs nails, being one wooden house, shipped by Geo. Freeman & Co. and consigned to order.—C & D 76 pieces timber, 226 joist, 907 worked boards, 203 planks, 220 battons, 4 stair stringers, 4 front ornaments, 10 batton doors, 2 window ornaments, 14 pieces corraud, 3 plank steps, 5 boards for risers, 1 package 29 pieces, 2 front doors, 4 pairs shutters, 2 ornaments, 1 package 31 pieces, 4 packages sash 19 pieces, 2 boxes hardware, 4 packages sash, 2 pannel doors, 2 boxes window frames, 4 casings, shipped by F. A. Platt, and consigned to N. D. Morgan W. H. Wagner, San Francisco, 201 boards, 131 pieces timber, 26 plank, 4 bundles timber, 3 window shutters, 3 doors, shipped by T. Van Pelt, and consigned to Mr. W. H Morgan. JAMES T. MILLER, master.

STEAM ENGINE

WEDNESDAY, at 10 o'clock, at the auction room, a 20 horse steam engine, complete, with two boilers 18 feet long. n1 4t

WYCKOFF & Co., Montgomery st., between Washington and Jackson streets, offer for sale,

100 hlf bbls No 1 Mackerl, 200 qr bbls do, 300 kits do, 50 half bbls No 1 Con shad, 50 qr. do, 100 kits do, 100 half bbls mess pork, 100 qr bbls do, 100 bbls prime pork, afloat, 10,000 lbs dairy cheese, 1000 cases porter, cider and assorted syrups, 150 boxes sperm candles, 100 boxes patent refined crystaline do, 2000 lbs tobacco, 300 cases pickles, 100 bbls dried fruits, 5 bbls dried peaches, 50 boxes raisins, crushed and brown sugars, 100 cases pepper sauce and tomato catsup, 1000 lbs chocolate, 60 doz brooms, 3 cases silk hats, 100 pair blankets, and a general assortment of groceries and provisions, for city and country dealers. n1 1m

25 DOLLARS REWARD will be paid for information of the drayman who took from the Union Foundry one iron door and frame, and two iron windows and frames. The above reward will be paid for the recovery of the property or information of the thief, by applying at the Union Foundry, corner of First and Mission sts. n1 4t*

NOTICE.—Messrs. Field & Moore beg leave to inform their friends and the public that their Restaurant, on the corner of the plaza and Clay street, is now fully opened, and hoping to be able to give satisfaction, respectfully invite a portion of their patronage. Entrance on Clay st. n1 1t*

PILES! Piles!! Piles!!!—BROWN & Co., Commercial Building, (head of central wharf,) are regularly receiving piles from Humboldt Bay, which they offer for sale at the market prices. Orders for piles of any length promptly executed. Apply as above. n1 1w

CHILI FLOUR, a few thousand halves and quarter sacks, afloat, for sale low to close out. Apply to

J. R. Carroll,
Montgomery st. next to Ross' brick building n1 2w

PICKED UP adrift, yesterday morning, near Goat Island, a Yawl Boat, green inside and white outside, a portion of the rail broke off. Apply to

Mr. Horn,
n1 3t* Pleasant Valley.

TIMBER! Timber!! Timber!!! BROWN & Co., Commercial Building, (head of central wharf,) are constantly in receipt of square timber for wharf and building purposes. Orders for dimension timber executed at the shortest notice. Apply as above. n1 1w

FIRE WOOD!!—A very superior lot of Oregon fire wood, for sale afloat, by

Brown & Co.
Commercial Building, (head of central wharf. n1 3t

WANTED, a cheap Store Ship Apply to

William Webster,
n1 2t* store ship Elizabeth

NOTICE is hereby given to the preferred creditors of Hiram Boynton, that a dividend of twenty-five per cent. on their bills will be paid at the office of G. W. Coffee, on Sansome st., near Broadway, on and after this date.

G. W. Coffee, } *Assignees for*
E. D. Keyes, } *H. Boynton.*
San Francisco, Oct. 30, 1850. o31 1w

NOTICE.—Pure Ground Coffee.—The lovers of good coffee are notified that they can procure of the undersigned an article which cannot fail to please. Hotels, restaurants and families supplied at the shortest notice by

Badger & Howlett,
at the Union Coffee and Spice Mills, Clay street, S W. corner of the plaza. o31 1w

FOUND, in Pleasant Valley, October 29th, a Grey Mule, tail cut, both ears cropped, which the owner can have by proving property and paying charges. Apply to

Edward Van Hook.
o31 3t*

GOLD DUST Bought or Insured and forwarded to any part of the States, by way of New York or New Orleans, at the lowest rates, by

Gregory's Express,
o18 tf f Office 280 Montgomery street,

PICKED UP adrift on Rincon Point, near the Island, Oct. 28th, an iron life boat, called the Gen. Scott, which the owner can have by paying charges, by applying to

Mr. Horn,
o28 3t Pleasant Valley.

☞ Fare Reduced for San Jose—From the Empire House—Messrs Ackley & Morrison, run a Daily Stage Coach, for the above place, at the reduced rate of $16 per single passenger. o1 tf

## AUCTION SALES.

By KETTELLE, MAHONY & CO.

AT THEIR SALES ROOM on Washington street, a few days below Montgomery street, on FRIDAY, Nov. 1st, at 10 o'clock, an assortment of desirable goods, consisting in part of the following articles, viz.:

Butter in small kegs, pure cider vinegar
Cheese " boxes, tongues and sounds
Mexican beans cocoa paste
Chocolate, sweet and spiced
Casks brandy, Otard, Dupuy & Co., pale
Gin, in 10-gal kegs [and dark
Brandy in cases currant jelly
Cherry brandy cranberry jam
Claret wine, wormwood cordial
Pure ground coffee rice
Fresh corn meal, &c, &c.

Superior hair mattresses, hair and feather pillows, blankets, assorted colors.

20 cases assorted paper hangings, with borders.

Invoice clothing, coats, pants, vests, hats and caps, &c, &c. o31

J. L. RIDDLE & CO., Auctioneers.

Messrs. J. L. RIDDLE & Co. will sell by auction, at their rooms, on Saturday next, the 2d Nov. at 11 o'clock,

One large imported mare, rising four years old
One dray and harness
One saddle and bridle
One portable water closet or commode
A few patent coffee pots
1 pair standard gold scales and weights
1 pair do do
1 hogshead of assorted tin ware
1 stove
A lot of garden seeds
1 large filterer, with sundry other articles. n1 2t*

THEODORE PAYNE, Auctioneer.

ADMINISTRATOR'S Notice.—Will be sold at public auction for cash, on SATURDAY, the 23d day of November, at 11 o'clock, A. M. on the premises, all the right, title and interest of Pedro Bianchi, deceased, being the one undivided third part of all that certain piece of land lying and being in the city of San Francisco, situate on the south side of Pacific street, between Kearny and Dupont streets, twenty-Pacific street, and one feet six inches street, being the by Lorenzo Barron and Bazzi-redello, surviving partners of the said deceased. The purchaser to pay for deed By order of the Court.

Joseph Henriquez,
o26 1awts Public Administrator

JUST ARRIVED from New York, C. LEIGHTON, First Premium Shirt Manufacturer, with an entire new stock of Gentlemen's Furnishing goods, comprising fine linen shirts, embroidered do, York mills muslin, with linen bosoms, collars and wrists; fancy colored and stripe do, ribbed silk undershirts and drawers, merino, lambswool, cotton, and flannel, best quality English half hose, black Italian and fancy cravats, handkerchiefs, &c., already hemmed; ariel and opera tie stocks, miners shirts, blankets, &c., &c.

Fire Companies Red Flannel Shirts and Uniforms for processions.

Store, No. 20 Commercial street, between Montgomery and Kearny streets.

N. B. Measures taken for fashionable clothing and executed within 90 days by W. T. Jennings & Co., Merchant Tailors, Broadway. Shirt manufactory, 10 Park Place, N. Y. o26

TO LET—Two stores on Montgomery street. Also, two Offices with sleeping apartments attached, in the same building. Also one basement, (with office in front) 15x56 feet, and 9 feet high, well adapted for a bottling establishment or a restaurant. Apply to

James H. Ray,
Jackson street, one door below Sansome.

FOR SALE—150 bbls best quality pilot bread. Also, spikes, wrought and cut, iron 4 to 15 inches. o3u tf

THE SPANISH Teacher and Colloquial Phrase book; an easy and agreeable method of acquiring a speaking knowledge of the Spanish language. For sale wholesale and retail at the Pioneer Book Store by

Marvin & Hitchcock,
Herald Building, Montgomery street.
Traders and dealers in the country supplied by the quantity at very low rates. o25 6t

40 000 lbs NEW CORN free from weevil, 50 bbls superior draught ale, 50 boxes pearl starch, 10,000 lbs crushed sugar, 20,000 lbs brown do, 50 bbls dried apples, 2000 lbs sweet chocolate. Just received and for sale by

Pickett & Co.,
o3 foot of Jackson street wharf.

KELSEY, SMITH & RISLEY

Importers and Dealers in Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Clothing, and Leather and Findings. Fire proof brick building, on Clay st, 2d door above Montgomery street.

W. F. KELSEY, } San Francisco.
GEO. M. SMITH, }
B. W. RISLEY, New York City. o14 1m

FOR SALE—A spacious House situate in Sacramento street, recently painted and papered, offering the most desirable accommodations for an hotel. Formerly known as the Washington Restaurant, and at present occupied by Dr. H. C. F. Behrens. Terms reasonable. Apply to

Pioche, Bayerque & Co.,
o28 3t* California street.

GOLD STANDARD Balances—A small invoice just received from the celebrated manufactory of Messrs. Howard & Davis, Boston, Mass For sale at S. Adams' Drug store, Washington street, by
o26 eod tf E. Sanford.

FOR SALE—TO PRINTERS—Two Washington Presses, at W. W. DUNN'S Printing Press Manufactory, corner of Ohio and Pacific streets, or address Post Office, Box 489. o22 tf

GREEN and BLACK TEA—150 superior Green and Black Tea, MOLA, and for sale by

Pickett & Co.,
o25 1w foot of Jackson street.

P. Smith, M. D & Theo. Dimond, M. D., office over Kelsey, Smith & Risley's store, north side of Clay street, second building above Montgomery street o1

J. H. Blood & Co., Commission Merchants and Ship Agents. Office northwest corner Clay and Montgomery sts up stairs. o1 3m

DAY and NIGHT HOUSE—The MODEL RESTAURANT, Commercial st., next door to Simmons & Lilly's is open at all hours, day and night. Try it. o8 1m*

FOR SALE.—4500 Flour sacks (new.) Sizes from 50 to 200 lbs.

George M. Garwood & Co.,
o28 4t head Central wharf.

JAMES B. HUIE, Auctioneer.

By JAMES B. HUIE & CO.,

James B. Huie & Co, No. 51 Montgomery st, will sell THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock, at their auction rooms,

100 kegs superior Irish butter
100 sacks flour, 50 firkins crushed sugar,
200 bags brown sugar, 100 boxes bro. do.
200 cases cognac brandy,
100 cases claret wine,
80 kitts No 1 mackerel,
100 cans water crackers
400 boxes raisins, in wholes, halfs and quarters
50 boxes pickles, asst'd,
50 boxes brandy fruit,
100 baskets and cases shampagne, quarts and pints
20 boxes starch, 20 doz brooms
20 cases ale, 20 boxes dried peaches
20 boxes Va. tobacco,
50 cases champagne cider,
20 qr casks Burgundy port wine,
20 1-8 casks brandy,
50 freils dates, 10 doz decanters
20 cases fresh oysters, 100 pair blankets
100 doz sardines, 20 doz buckets
50 cans leaf lard,
60 cans pure ground coffee, with a general assortment of liquors, wines, &c. &c.

ALSO—one large English horse and dray and one cart. n1

## FARE REDUCED.

LAW'S LINE PACIFIC STEAMERS. For PANAMA. The splendid steamer ANTELOPE, Capt. Ackley, will leave San Francisco for Panama on the 12th November, and connect with steamer FALCON, which leaves CHAGRES on the 13th December.

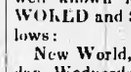
This steamer has been fitted expressly for this coast, and has the very best accommodations for passengers, and the rates of fare have been regulated so as to be entirely satisfactory.

RATES OF FARE.

| | To Panama. | N. York. | N. Orleans. |
|---|---|---|---|
| After cabin, | $150 | $250 | $225 |
| Forward do | 125 | 175 | 165 |

Through tickets may now be secured at the Agents Office, foot Jackson street, on application.

o29 Oliver Charlick.



People's Line for Sacramento City—Every afternoon from Cunningham's Wharf, at 4 o'clock, the well known fast sailing steamers NEW WORLD and SENATOR, will leave as follows:

New World, Capt Wakeman, every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, returning from Sacramento city, every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 2 P. M.

Senator, Capt John Van Pelt, every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, returning from Sacramento city, every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 2 P. M.

Freight or passengers taken at the lowest rates. Tickets can be had, and all information can be obtained by applying to the clerks on board, or to

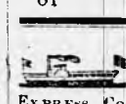
Charles Minturn, Agent,
o1 On Cunningham's Wharf.

N. B. All persons are hereby notified that Messrs. Hawley & Co., are the only authorized Express on these boats, and all packages of value or gold dust left with the clerks, are at the risk of the parties leaving them, or of the parties to whom they belong. o2

FOR SACRAMENTO CITY, touching at BENICIA.—The new steamer *FASHION*, Captain T. N. Egiry, will leave her berth foot of Broadway, Clark's Point, every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. For freight or passage apply to F. Vassault & Co, Commercial Wharf, Clark's Point, or on board of the steamer

Freight taken from any part of the city or harbor free of charge.

o1 F. Vassault & Co.



NOTICE.

UNITED STATES AND CALIFORNIA EXPRESS COMPANY. A. B. MILLER & Co., proprietors, have made arrangements by which gentlemen in this country having families at home, and are desirous of having them come to California, can do so with the same comfort and attention as if present.

This company have a line of passenger boats on the Chagres river, built in New York expressly for the comfort and convenience of passengers, and having first class hotels at Chagres, Gorgona, Cruces and Panama, every attention will be paid to promote their comfort.

The proprietors being residents of the above named places for nearly two years, are perfectly familiar with the wants and necessities of families crossing, and will always be in attendance to take special charge for their protection and assistance, and also on the steamers on either side.

Mr. GEO. M. SMITH, of the firm of Kelsey, Smith & Risley, Agents for this Company, will leave for the States the 15th Nov., and return on or about the 15th Feb., and arrangements can be made with this company, by gentlemen who cannot leave their business for several months to bring their families out, and be ASSURED that no pains shall be spared to promote their greatest comfort throughout the entire route.

Mr. Smith will also take special charge of all packages and parcels shipped by this company.

Kelsey, Smith & Risley,
o18 tf Agents

COPARTNERSHIP—AUCTION and COMMISSION MERCHANTS.—The subscribers having formed a copartnership under the style of KETTELLE, MAHONY & Co., for the purpose of transacting a general Auction and Commission Business, and having taken the spacious sales room on Washington, a few doors below Montgomery street, are prepared to receive consignments of Real Estate, Cargoes, and Merchandize in general for public or private sale, on the most liberal terms. Goods can be received into store, direct from lighters. We are prepared to make liberal advancements upon consignments. A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited, and satisfaction warranted.

William G. Kettelle,
Frank S. Mahony.

We are at liberty to refer to

Samuel Brannan, Esq., } San Francisco.
Messrs Howard & Green, }
Albert Wardwell, Esq., }
Mess. Geo. N. Shaw & Co. }
Elisha Atkins, Esq., } Boston.
John J. Mahony, Esq., }
John L. Emmons, Esq., }
Mess. Mahony & Kenna, }

Kettelle, Mahony & Co.,
San Francisco. Oct. 25, 1850. o26 1mis

REAL ESTATE—A bargain. 2 lots in California street will be sold cheap, if applied for immediately at the office of

W. Schleiden,
Ship and Custom House broker, Montgomery street, opposite the Custom house. o7 tf

FOR SALE.—The substantial and fast sailing schooner SAMUEL ROBERTS, 100 tons, copper in good order, and can be sent to sea at trifling expense—will be sold low on application to

Necfus & Tichenor,
n1 3t* foot Jackson st.

FOR SANTA CRUZ, MONTEREY, San Diego and Sandwich Islands.—The fine fast-sailing bark POWHATTAN, J. C. Cook, master, will sail for the above ports on or about the 5th of November. For freight or passage, having good accommodations, apply to

Wadsworth & Ravesies,
Ship Brokers, Sansome street, near Washington, or to

Horner & Co.,
o31 4t Jackson, below Battery street.

PARA el CALLAO—Del 6 or 8 del proximo Noviembre, saldra a para dicho puerto la fragata Peruana MASSON, Admite flete i pasageros. Para tratar veanse con

Don Santiago Fabara,
calle del Sacramento, lads del Norte sixte puertas arriba de la ergeaa de Kearny, frenta al muello largo o29 3t*

FOR FREIGHT or CHARTER—The A 1 Eremen Bark JOHAN GEORG, Wessel, master, 335 tons register, ready for sea, and fit for any voyage. Apply to

W. Schleiden,
Ship and custom house broker, Montgomery street, opposite the custom house. o20 8t

FOR GUAYMAS—The fast sailing British brig ZONE, Bond, master, will sail for the above port in a few days. She is a new vessel, has good accommodations for passengers, and will take freight at the lowest rates. Apply to

W. Schleiden,
Ship and custom house broker, Montgomery st, opposite the custom house.

PARA GUAYMAS en derechura. Saldra dentro de pocos dias el muy velero bergantin ZONE, su capitan Bond, ofrece las mayores comodidades para pasageros y recibe flete a precio muy bajo. Dirijanse a

W. Schleiden,
corredor de buques y aduana, calle de Montgomery, en frente de la aduana.
N. B. Wanted—About 1000 gallons water casks. o25 10t

PARA MAZATLAN y otros Puertos Mejicanos (Para donde hubiera pasageros) se despachara dentro de pocos dias la muy velera barca GASELLE tiene amplias comodidades para pasageros. Para flete y pasage dirijanse a bordo, al senor Clark, o en casa de J. MacCormack & Ca., No. 244 Montgomery street, o en mi despacho

W. Schleiden,
corredor de buques y de Aduana, calle de Montgomery, en frente de la Aduana.

THE A 1 teak built clipper brig GASELLE, for Mazatlan and other ports in Mexico, (should inducements offer) will sail on or about the 25th instant, having splendid accommodations for cabin or steerage passengers. Apply to Mr. Clark on board, or at J. MacCormack & Co.'s, 244 Montgomery street, or at my office, Montgomery st, opposite the customhouse.

o11 W. Schleiden.

IMPORTANT NEWS from NICARAGUA by the steamer California.—Hon. E. G. Squier, late Minister from the Government of the United States to Central America, reports that: "In passing from one ocean to the other, by way of Nicaragua, $15 will suffice to transport a passenger across the country. Tolerable accommodations may be obtained for about $9, and one may go across in a cart for $7. The Nicaragua route is by many a mile nearer to all the ports of the United States, and the salubrity of the climate must be deemed an advantage that Panama cannot possess."

Ottinger & Brown have now a Regular Line of packets running between this port and *REALEJO*. For freight or passage apply to OTTINGER & BROWN,
o1 Commercial Buildings, Central Wharf.

England—The subscribers have now made arrangements to lay on a line of packets from Liverpool to San Francisco, by which passages may be secured to California, Oregon, Vancouver's Island, and the Sandwich Islands.

Those who may have no correspondence in England, can have goods or freight purchased or forwarded at the lowest rates, and with quick dispatch; or money invested in the funds or otherwise, as parties may desire.

Exchange on Great Britain, in sums to suit those wishing to make remittances, for sale.

Dixon, Forbes & Co,
Commission Merchants, san Francisco.
o1 Dixon, Brothers, Liverpool.

Packets from Hamburg to San Francisco—This line of Packets consists of the well known vessels belonging to Messrs J C Godeffroy & son, of Hamburg. Persons residing in California who wish their friends to come to san Francisco, can secure their passage by applying to

Godeffroy, Sillem & Co,
o1 1m Niantic Warehouses, foot of Clay st.

ADMINISTRATOR'S Notice.—All persons having claims against the estate of Jacob Hina, (a Kanaka,) deceased, are requested to present them to the undersigned within ten months from this date, in default thereof they will be forever barred. Those indebted to said estate will make immediate payment.

H. G. Blankman, Administrator.
Office in Commercial street, next door to Dart & Gale, up stairs. o28 law4t

CHANDELIERS, &c.—Just arrived per steamer Oregon, two splendid eight light solar chandeliers, two of five lights, and six others of beautiful patterns, with rich cut drops, wick sticks, gas tugs, globes, &c., which are not to be surpassed in their superior character and richness. Also 1000 chamois skins, and 10,000 superior cigars. For sale by

Ebbets & Co.,
o28 1w No. 2 California street wharf.

MYERS & EHRENBURG, Real Estate Agents, and Surveyors for the towns of Trinidad, Klamath, and for Trinity county general.

OFFICES—In Klamath, corner of Forest and Francis streets. In Trinidad, corner of Whiting and Edward sts. o9 tf

L. B. HANKS
*Dealer in Lumber,*
Office, Bodega steam saw Mills, No. 1 Gold street. Will furnish to order any quantity of dimension stuff, or ordinary sizes, with dispatch. o4 6m

STATE WARRANTS, for sale, in sums of $100 each, convenient for the payment of state taxes, auction dues, licenses, &c. Inquire at the *Pacific News* office. o29 1w

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For the Pacific News.

## STANZAS,

WRITTEN UPON THE RECEIPT OF THE INTELLIGENCE OF THE ADMISSION OF CALIFORNIA INTO THE UNION.

Rise, Queen of the West! to dominion arise
The eyes of a world are now turned upon thee,
Like Venus enthroned mid the orbs in the skies,
Now rise with full splendor, and shine with the free!

Thy rising will add to the luminous ray
That is cheering the millions enshrouded in night;
A star of bright omen, preceding the day,
When the nations shall rise in their freedom and might.

Thy sisters to thee a kind welcome have given,
To share the rich blessings that union can give:
Now stand by that union with faith of high Heaven
While, Virtue is lovely, and freemen shall live.

Though the foemen of liberty have slandered thy name,
For disdaining to aid them to trample the slave,
Yet the lovers of Freedom will trumpet thy fame,
And thy cause be sustained by the good and the brave.

How thy name lends a charm to the patriot's plea,
Inspiring the soul with emotions sublime!
What visions of glory with transport I see,
While gazing a-down the vista of time.

Thy clime is delightful, salubrious and mild;
Thy valleys with richest productions abound;
Thy scenery imposing, romantic and wild:
And pure shining gold in thy mountains is found.

The communion of nations thy favor restores,
Their sons with fraternal agreement here meet;
The commerce of Europe will flow to thy shores,
The treasures of Asia be laid at thy feet.

Rise, Queen of the West! to dominion arise!
A world, in its wonder, is shouting thy name:
Let thy glory be seen, like the sun in the skies,
And lead in the triumph of freedom and fame!

SAN JOSE, Oct. 21st, 1850. J. M.

## MARRIED AGAINST HIS WILL.

Sir Walter Scott used to relate the following curious anecdote:

"My cousin Watty," said he, "was a midshipman some forty years ago, in a ship at Portsmouth; he and two other companions had gone on shore, and had overstaid their leave, spent all their money, and run up an immense bill at a tavern on the Point. The ship made the signal for sailing; but their landlady said—

"No gentlemen you shall not escape without paying your reckoning;" and she accompanied her words by appropriate actions and placed them under the tender keeping of a sufficient party of bailiffs.

"They felt that they were in a scrape, and petitioned very hard to be released.

"No, no," said Mrs. Quickly, "I must be satisfied some way or t'other: you must be well aware, gentlemen, that you will be totally ruined if you don't get on board in time."

They made long faces and confessed that it was true.

"Well," said she, "I will give you one chance. I am so circumstanced here, that I cannot carry on business as a single woman, and I must contrive somehow to have a husband----or, at all events, I must be able to produce a marriage certificate; and therefore, the only terms on which you shall all three have leave to go on board to-morrow, is, that one of you consent to marry me. I don't care a snap which it is; but by all that is good, one of you I'll have, or else all three go to jail, and your ship sails without you."

The virago was not to be pacified, and the poor youths, left to themselves, agreed after a time, to draw lots, and it happened to fall on my cousin. No time was lost, and off they marched to church, and my poor relative was forth with spliced. The bride on returning, gave them a good substantial dinner, and several bottles of wine apiece, and, having tumbled them into a wherry, sent them off. The ship sailed, and the young men religiously adhered to the oath of secrecy they had made previous to drawing lots.

The bride, I should have said, merely wanted to be married, and was the first to propose an eternal separation.

Some months after, at Jamaica, a file of papers reached the midshipman's berth, and Watty, who was observed to be looking over them carelessly reading an account of a robbery and murder at Portsmouth, suddenly jumped in his ecstacy, forgot his obligation of secresy, and cried out,—

"Thank heaven, my wife is hanged"

## A MAN WHO NEVER SAW A WOMAN.

The Hon. Robert Curzon, in his "Monasteries of the Levant," gives the following account of a monk in the Monastery of Xeropotamo, belonging to the Mount Athos monasteries:—

"A monk had arrived from one of the out-lying farms, who could speak a little Italian; he was deputed to do the honors of the house, and accordingly dined with me. He was a magnificent looking man, of thirty or thirty-five years of age, with large eyes, and long black hair and beard. As we sat together in the evening, in the ancient room, by the light of one dim brazen lamp, with deep shades thrown across his face and figure, I thought he would have made an admirable study for Titian or Sebastian del Piombo. In the course of conversation, I found that he had learned Italian from another monk, having never been out of the peninsula of Mount Athos. His parents, and most of the other inhabitants of the village where he was born, somewhere in Roumelia, (but its name or exact position he did not know) had been massacred during some revolt or disturbance. So he had been told, but he remembered nothing about it. He had been educated at a school in this or one of the other monasteries, and his whole life had been passed on the Holy Mountain; and this, he said, was the case with very many other monks. He did not remember his mother, and did not seem quite sure that he ever had one. He had never seen a woman, nor had he any idea what sort of things women were, or what they looked like. He asked me whether they resembled the pictures of the *Panagia*, (the Holy Virgin) which hang in every church. Now, those who are conversant with the peculiar conventional representations of the Blessed Virgin, in the pictures of the Greek Church, which are all exactly alike, stiff, hard and dry, without any appearance of life or emotion, will agree with me that they do not afford a very favorable idea of the grace and beauty of the fair sex; and that there was a difference of appearance between black women, Circassians, and those of other nations, which was, moreover, difficult to describe to one who had never seen a lady of any race. He listened with great interest, while I told him that all women were not exactly like the pictures he had seen, and that they differed considerably one from another, in appearance, manners, and understanding; but I did not think it charitable to carry on the conversation farther, although the poor monk seemed to have a strong inclination to know more of that interesting race of beings, from whose society he had been so entirely debarred. I often thought afterwards of the singular lot of this manly and noble-looking monk, whether he is still a recluse, either in the monastery or on his mountain farm, with his little moss-grown chapel, as ancient as the days of Constantine, or whether he has gone out into the world and mingled in its pleasures."

To illustrate this remarkable fact, which is not a solitary one at Mount Athos, we must inform the reader, that by a law which is rigidly enforced, "no female animal of any sort or kind, is admitted on any part of the Peninsula of Mount Athos; and that, since the days of Constantine, the soil of the Holy Mountain has never been contaminated by the tread of a woman's foot." Fleas, however, pay no respect to the monkish ordinances, and bring their wives and children with them in great abundance.

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The Newark Daily *Eagle* gives a list of ambitious gentlemen who aspires to be Governor of the "Jarsies." The list embraces the names of *fourteen* Whigs and *six* Democrats, with the assurance that the number of Democratic aspirants will be considerably larger before many days. We hope none of them will be disappointed.

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Capt. Taggart made another successful ascension with his self-propelling balloon, from Lowell, Mass., ascending to a great height. After floating in different directions for about two hours, he landed at Wilmington. He propels his balloon in the course desired by working a crank, which puts in motion the necessary paddles or fans.

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☞ The sea serpent has been, according to the Irish papers, in the Bay of Dublin, and in the Blasket Sound, on the coast of Kerry. The descriptions of it remind us of our old friend, who has been seen so many times on our Eastern coast.

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A dublin paper claiming the discovery of the circulation of the blood by the Irish of the twelfth century, states distinctly, that it was "an Irish *invention*."

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SHERIFF'S SALE—By virtue of two several executions issued out of the District Court, Fourth Judicial District, within and for the county of San Francisco, the one in the case of R. S. Dorr, and the other in the case of Macondray & Co., against Jesse B. Hart, both being duly tested, and dated October 8th, 1850, and to me directed, by virtue of which said executions I have levied on all the right, title and interest of the said Hart of, in and to the following described real estate, situate in the city of San Francisco, the first lot being bounded on the sout west by an alley 50 varas, on the southeast by lands owned by John B. R. Cooper 23 varas, on the northeast by lands owned by John Thompson fifty varas, on the north by Jackson street 23 varas, excepting herefrom two feet, fronting on Jackson street, running back the same width eighty-feet in the northeast corner of said property, sold to Cassaforth, and the fraction formerly occupied by the Ohio House, being in all twenty-two feet fronting on Jackson street, by eighty feet back and a fraction in the rear, sixty-six feet by fifty-seven and one half feet; and part of 100 vara lot No. 50, mortgaged for twenty-five hundred dollars, at ten per cent. per month, dated July 12th, 1850, in book A of mortgages, pages 289 and 290. Also, the right and interest &c., as aforesaid to that lot or parcel of land situate in said city, and being a portion of lot known on the map of said city as No. 334, and marked on the plan or map of said lot No. 334, as subdivided; Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10, being the same premises heretofore conveyed to Jesse B. Hart by John H. Brown, excepting the lots conveyed to James McCabe, mortgaged to John H. Brown for four thousand dollars at ten per cent. per month, dated June 1st, 1850, recorded in book A of mortgages, page 155. Now, know ye, that on Saturday, the 16th day of November next at the hour of 11 o'clock, A. M., of said day, in front of the Court house, I will expose for sale, to the highest bidder, for cash, the right, title, interest, of the said Jesse B. Hart in the above described real estate.

John C. Hays, Sheriff.
By J. S. Powers, Deputy.

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SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District, within and for the county of San Francisco, and State of California, duly attested, and dated October 22, A. D., 1850, in the case of William M. Card against William M. Fuller, wherein a judgment was rendered in favor of said Card vs. said Fuller, in the sum of eleven hundred and fifty-four dollars, and the sum of seventy-seven 50-100 dollars costs, actually accrued; and the said execution being to me directed; by virtue of which I have seized and levied on the right, title, interest and claim of the said Fuller of in and to the following described real estate, situate in the city of San Francisco, on Stockton street and Card's alley, to wit: one lot fronting on Stockton street twenty-three feet, and running back on the west side of said street, same width, parallel with Green street, one hundred and thirty-seven and one-half feet; said lot adjoining a lot of ground on the south side thereof, formerly owned by Frank Ward. Also, on the undivided equal half of a lot or parcel of ground, on the west side of Stockton street, one hundred and thirty-seven and one-half feet, and on the north side of Card's alley for the corner of the same, thence west on Card's alley twenty feet, thence north parallel with Stockton street, sixty-two and one-half feet, thence east parallel with Card's alley, twenty feet, thence south parallel with Stockton street, sixty-two and one-half feet to the place of beginning: and likewise on that certain lot of land fronting on the north side of Card's alley, one hundred and seventy-seven and one-half feet west of Stockton street for a corner, thence west twenty feet on said alley, thence north sixty-two and one-half feet parallel with Stockton street, thence east twenty feet parallel with Card's alley, thence south parallel with Stockton street sixty-two and one-half feet, to the place of beginning. Now, know ye that by virtue of said writ and the proceedings had, I will offer for sale to the highest bidder, for cash, on Wednesday, the 20th day of November next, in front of the court-house, at 11 o'clock, A. M., of said day, the interest of the said Fuller in and to the above described lots of land.

Jno. C. Hays, Sheriff.
By Jno. S. Powers, Deply.

San Francisco, Oct. 31, 1850. o31 3tawts

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COMMISSIONERS of Deeds—Notice—In accordance with Section 5 of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act empowering the Governor to appoint Commissioners of Deeds, and defining the duties of such Officers," approved March 20, 1850, notice is hereby given that the following persons have been appointed Commissioners as provided in said Act, to reside at the places mentioned, viz:

J. H. Cheney, Boston, Mass.
Ebenezer Robbins, Oneida co., N. Y.
Samuel Ward, City of New York.
Alexander W. Foster, Pittsburg, Pa.
Harry T. Hoyt, New Orleans, La.
T. Bailey Myers, City of New York.
Graham L. Hughes, Liberty, Mo.
James M. Hughes, St. Louis, Mo.
W. M. F. Cooper, Nashville, Tenn.
Daniel E. Sickles, city of New York.
L. D. Champlin, Cincinnati, Ohio.
Ed. Shippen, Philadelphia, Pa.
B. F. Graves, Lexington, Ky.
W. B. Parker, Portsmouth, N. H
J. B. Ogden, Van Buren, Ark.
Jno. J. Plume, New York city.
Jno. F. Ennis, Washington, D. C.
Chas. Findley, Baltimore, Md.
D. C. Labatt, New Orleans, La.
A. C. Waugh, Mobile, Ala.
Geo. H. Hickman, Baltimore.
Jno. H. White, New York city.
Chas. J. Bushnell, do
Jno. H. Watson, St. Louis, Mo.
Chas. De Selding, Washington, D. C.

Wm. Van Voorhies,
Secretary of State.

Office of Secretary of State, San Jose, Oct. 25, 1850. o26 6tw

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STATE Marine Hosptial — The Commissioners of Health for the port of San Francisco, have taken the building on Stockton street, lately known and occupied as the American Hotel, and have converted the same into a State Marine Hospital.

The public are informed that the Hospital is now open for the reception of patients.

The public authorities of the city of San Francisco, who have charge of the city poor, citizens, and all persons not entitled to hospital privileges, are also informed that patients will be admitted at this hospital for the moderate sum of $25 per week, in advance, including board, lodging and medical attendance.

For admission, apply at the Hospital, to the Resident Physician.

Lorenzo Hubbard, M. D.,
Resident Physician.

N. B. No patient laboring under an infectious or contagious disease will be treated at this Hospital, but a suitable place will be provided for them, on application as above. o1

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*MAGNIFICENT CHANCE FOR A FORTUNE.*

*Shares 100 Dollars each.*

AND every man is sure to get the worth of his money, in two lots, 25x100 feet each, which his share must draw, and a chance for a splendid estate, valued at over $100,000.

ST. FRANCIS HOTEL PROPERTY.

The proprietors of the lands and buildings, known as the *St. Francis Hotel Property*, in view of the return of the parties to New York, offer a arrangement of their whole estate, comprising the St. Francis Hotel and Buildings, and ground upon which they are situated; also, the fixtures, furniture, valuable plate and silver ware, forming altogether one of the most desirable andcomplete establishments in the country.

Also, the extensive property forming out-lots, as well as adjoining land, situated on sections Nos. 1 and 2, south of the base line, and two west of the meridian, according to Hoadley's survey, being adjacent to, and west of the City of San Francisco, a map of which may be seen at the St. Francis Hotel.

There are 2,200 lots, beautifully situated, 25 by 100 feet each, and 100 acres of land adjoining, a portion of which land was intended originally to be improved for gardening purposes, in connection with the Hotel. The whole of the above named property, is offered in Eleven Hundred Shares, of one hundred dollars each, as joint stock, or on a decision of the holders of a majority of the shares, to be distributed according to the annexed schedule, if ready, on or about the 30th day of October next, due notice of which will be given, under the inspection of the following named gentlemen:

Hon. John W. Geary,
Ald. Charles V. Steuart,
Gregory Yale, Esq.,
Palmer, Cook & Co.

Every shareholder shall be entitled to two lots, to be determined in the following manner:

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| The 1st drawn number will take | Lots | Nos 1 and 2 | block 1 |
| The 2d do do do | lots | Nos 3 and 4 | block 1 |
| The 3d do do do | do | 5 and 6 | do 1 |
| The 4th do do do | do | 7 and 8 | do 1 |
| The 5th do do do | do | 9 and 10 | do 1 |
| The 6th do do do | do | 11 and 12 | do 1 |
| The 7th do do do | do | 13 and 14 | do 1 |
| The 8th do do do | do | 15 and 16 | do 1 |
| The 9th do do do | do | 1 and 2 | do 2 |

And so on in the same order of lots and blocks consecutively, until the whole are distributed. And finally, the last drawn number shall take, in addition to its two lots, the Grand Share, consisting of the splendid estate known as the St. Francis Hotel, with the land on which it stands, and the entire furniture complete, fixtures, plate, silver ware, &c., and the one hundred acres of land above named, valued together at

*Over one hundred thousand dollars.*

A good and clear title, from all in cumbrance, will be given for the lands and buildings occupied as the St. Francis Hotel, and full possession given of the hotel, as soon after the decision as the deed can be completed. Conveyances of the out-lots, according to their numbers, as well as the one hundred acres of land adjoining them, given without any extra charge to shareholders for deeds.

Those who wish to learn what the profits of the Company have been, and what they are comparatively certain to be hereafter, may judge from an examination of their books, or a statement in the hands of the Agents for the sale of the shares, taken from the books.

The rapid improvement and growth of San Francisco, with the active business of the St. Francis Hotel, render it one of the most certain investments for an immediate return of profits, as well as prospective large accumulation of property of any in the country. At the same time each shareholder secures to himself two lots, free from city taxes and assessments, handsomely situated for a residence and gardening purposes, worth, in the progress of improvement, much more than the original amount paid for his share. W. H. PARKER & CO.,
Prop'rs St. Francis Hotel

Shares may be had at the office of the St. Francis Hotel. o11 2w

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IN JUSTICE'S COURT.—Before Brown, George W. Bushnell vs. M. Expert, M. Massurier, and his sons. SAME COURT—William B. White vs. same defendants. To M. Expert, M. Massurier, and his sons, defendants in the above causes:

Complaints in these two causes were filed in my office, san Francisco, California, by said Bushnell and White respectively, Aug 16th, 1850, against you, as owners of the bark Gustave, for a breach of your contract, made in May last, with said Bushnell and White, respectively, have been issued by me, returnable the 22d of August, 1850 August 16th, aforesaid, said bark, tackle &c. was levied upon, by virtue thereof.—You are required to appear and answer said complaint, February 24th, 1851, at 10 o'clock, A. M, of that day, at my office,

H. S. Brown,
Justice of the Peace.

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ASSIGNEES NOTICE—By a deed executed July 15th, 1850, the undersigned have been appointed Assignees for John M Finley, Chas. H Johnson and Joseph W Auston, trading under the style and firm of Finley, Johnson & co.

The creditors of the firm are hereby requested to present their claims as soon as possible, and all parties indebted to said firm, will please make an early settlement with either. July 16th, 1850.

John F. Spence,
H. Ray Bowie.

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KLAMATH GOLD MINES, River and Town—One of the most extensive fields for speculation at present in California.

The attention of the public is now called to this very important part of California. The town of Klamath is situated on the bank and at the vicinity of the mouth of a river, upon the numerous tributaries of which the most productive and extensive gold mines have been discovered of any now in existence in California. The Harbor (at the upper end of which this beautiful town site is situated) is both commodious and secure, and possesses the very superior advantage over all the other ports upon the coast between the Columbia river and San Francisco of a perfectly safe entrance. The river is a magnificent stream and navigable by steamers, according to the opinion of steamboat captains and others in every way competent to judge of the matter, at least 70 miles up; at, and even below which point, these very rich gold mines commence. Merchants and capitalists who are desirous of realizing a handsome profit upon their goods and an enormous return for their capital cannot enter into a better speculation or make a more safe investment of their means in any part of California, from the fact that there are at present about 2000 miners at work upon this river and its tributaries; and there is every reason to believe, from the numerous satisfactory statements of the miners, relative to their success during the last year, that next year there will be many times the number. The immediate rush to these mines from all parts will be immense, and in fact almost unprecedented; and this town, which may be said to be adjacent, in consequence of the water communication into the very heart of them, must and will undoubtedly be insured a speedy and almost magic growth, and by this time next year will be a very respectable rival to (if not totally eclipsing,) Sacramento and Stockton. Miners who have, during the last summer expended to such a deplorable extent their useless toil and labor in the southern mines, and have actually lost money in the place of making it, by the unsuccessful and numerous damming operations, and the scarcity of gold there, are strongly recommended to turn their attention to these mines, as the average amount dug last year, putting it at an infinitely lower estimate than from the statements of the miners we would be warranted in putting it, one ounce per day to the man. This alone is sufficient to justify the opinion that there is ample room for more, and when it is taken into consideration that not over one tenth part of the gold region has as yet been explored, the certainty of room is rendered beyond doubt. The enormous tax upon the miners for packing of provisions will next year be effectually obviated by the aid of water communication, which extends into the very heart of the mines. Goods can be taken from the deck of steamers by the miners in the place of the pack-saddle of the mule, and provisions now furnished at an expense of $1 50 for the mere packing, can be afforded for ten cents, thus enabling the miner to lay by the fruits of their labor, instead of expending so great a quota for subsistence. To persons wishing to invest capital to an advantage in town lots, an almost unparalleled money making speculation is now open; as lots at the present time can be procured at a comparatively low figure, and the price that they will be disposed of next spring will be high. Arrangements have been made for a steamer to ply between the town and the mines, which will warrant to miners the supply of provisions forthwith.

A map of the town and river can be seen at Messrs. Shultz & Palmer's, foot of Jackson street; at Bullett & Patrick's, corner of Jackson and Sansome streets; and at Worthington, Beale & [illegible]

Any required information [illegible] Mines, River, Town and [illegible] by application to Mr. John Gray, at Messrs. Schultz & Palmer, or to Mr. T. Bunting, at the firm of Worthington, Beale & Bunting, on Montgomery street. o16

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SHERIFF'S SALE—By virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court, 4th Judicial District, duly attested and dated Sept. 30th, A. D. 1850, in the case of Charles Brown against Michael T. O'Connor, wherein the costs are unpaid in the sum of seven hundred and eighty-seven dollars, besides the accruing costs in this behalf, and the said execution being against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of the said O'Connor for the costs aforesaid, and the same being to me directed; by virtue of which I have levied on certain leasehold property of the said O'Connor, to wit: On all that certain lot or parcel of land, situated at the Mission Dolores, on the south side of Mission street, the same being 200 yards square, excepting one 50 vara square lot, recovered by Charles Brown in the suit aforesaid. The aforesaid property being held by the said O'Connor and Francis Salmon, by virtue of a lease from the Pastor of the Mission Dolores for the term of four years from and after the 12th day September, A. D. 1849, at an annual rent of $100, payable quarterly in advance, with the privilege of extension for two years more at a revaluation by a referee. Now, therefore, I will offer the right, title, and interest of the said Michael T O'Connor for sale to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door in San Francisco, at the hour of 11 o'clock, A. M., on FRIDAY, 8th day of November next, of, in and to the above described property.

John C. Hays, Sheriff.
By John S. Powers, Deputy

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THE PEOPLE of the State of California: To John Pile. By order of the District Court of the county of San Joaquin, at the May term thereof, A.D, 1850, You are hereby summoned to be and appear before said court, on the 4th Monday after the second Monday of November next ensuing, to answer Mary Anne Murray, of a bill of complaint exhibited against you and a certain Henry Lyne, and filed in the Clerk's Office of said court on the 14th day of May, A D, 1850, by Mary Anne Murray, plaintiff, for the foreclosure of you, the said John Pile and the said Henry Lyne, of and from all equity of redemption of, in and to certain property situated in the town of Stockton, described in a mortgage executed by you to the said Murray, bearing date the 15th day of October, A.D, 1849; and you are notified that unless you appear at the time and place mentioned, and answer to said complaint, the same will be taken for confessed, and a decree entered accordingly.

A. C. BRADFORD, Clerk.
E. L. B. Brooks, for plaintiff. o1*

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VALUABLE LOT ON SACRAMENTO street, to be leased—The subscribers offer to lease, for one or more years, a lot on the south side of sacramento street, between montgomery and Leidsdorff streets, 31½ feet front, and 137½ feet deep, with the privilege of an alley seven feet wide.

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THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE of California, District of the County of Santa Clara: Jose De Arnaz vs. Genoveva Garcia Mangel, Emanuel Mangel and Lorenzo Geoffrey. Petition to foreclose mortgage, &c.

Whereas, JOSE DE ARNAZ filed in this Court on the 16th day of May, 1850, his petition, showing, among other things, that on the 20th day of December, 1849, Genoveva Garcia Mangel, the wife of Emanuel Mangel, was the owner in fee of a certain house and lot in San Jose, adjoining and in the rear of the house lately occupied by Messrs. Larrain, Benitez & Co., and fronting on Garcia street, did on that day mortgage the same, with the consent of Emanuel Mangel, her husband, to said Arnaz, to secure the sum of five hundred and sixty dollars, payable four months from date: That afterwards, on or about the 15th day of January, 1850 said Emanuel Mangel and Genoveva G. Mangel executed a mortgage on the same premises to one Geoffrey, of San Francisco, for about fourteen hundred dollars; which said mortgage was falsely dated the 19th of December, 1849, with intent to defeat the prior mortgage lien on said real estate, and to cheat and defraud said petitioner out of his debt. Said petitioner prays discovery and full answer to the above facts, that said mortgage to Geoffrey be set aside as fraudulent, and that said premises be sold to pay petitioners's mortgage, and for general relief.

And it being proved by affidavit to the satisfaction of this Court that Emanuel Mangel is a non-resident of this State, notice is hereby given to Emanuel Mangel to be and appear before the Honorable Court of the Third Judicial District, for the County of Santa Clara, on the fourth Monday of December, 1850, at the court house in San Jose, then and there to answer said petition, or, in default thereof, the allegation therein contained will be heard in your absence and decreed accordingly.

Given under my hand and private seal, there being no seal of office yet provided at this office, this 24th of May, A. D. 1850.

L. S.
je1 H. C. MALONE, Clerk.

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA, County of Santa Clara: The People of the State of California to Isidora de la Torre of Mazatlan, Mexico, Alexander Forbes, William Barron, and Eustachio Barron, of Tepic, Mexico:

By order of the Hon. John H. Watson, Judge of the District Court of the county of Santa Clara, given on the 2d day of October, 1850, You are hereby summoned to be and appear before said court on the Fourth Monday of April, A. D. 1851, to answer the complaint of M. Z. B. Berreyesa, Wo. of Jose Reyes, of Ma. C. Berreyesa, and her husband; Ler Pinedo of Loretto Berreyesa, and her husband; J. Bijorques, of S. Berreyesa, J. S. Berreyesa, N. Berreyesa, F. Berreyesa, Fer. Berreyesa, M. Berreyesa and her husband; J. Fernandez, of W. R. Bassham, tutor of J. E. Berreyesa, and of Richard Roman, James Hepburn, and C. V. Stewart, against yourselves and James A. Forbes, Robert Walkenshaw, and John Parrott, filed in the Clerk's Office of said court at San Jose, on the 5th day of October, 1850, by the said plaintiffs, to recover from you the possession of a certain tract of land; being a portion of the Rancho de la Canada de los Capitancillas, alias San Vicente, and bounded and described as follows, viz: all the western portion of said rancho lying between the rancho de las Capitancillas, belonging to William Wiggins, and the arroyo de los Alamitos, with a tract lying east of and along said arroyo, of half a mile in width, and running to the Sierra, which land, and more especially the Mine, Hacienda, and appurtenances of New Almaden, thereon situate, the said plaintiffs claim as their property, and that you unlawfully retain possession thereof since the first day of February, 1845. Wherefore they pray to have you ejected from the same, and to recover from you seven hundred thousand dollars, as the rents and profits thereof since the said 1st day of February, 1845, and also three hundred thousand dollars damages for the trespasses and wrongs by you committed thereon. And you are notified that unless you appear and answer said complaint at the time and place mentioned, that the same will be heard upon default and a decree entered accordingly.

Given under my hand and private seal, there being no seal of office yet provided at this office, this 17th day of October, 1850.

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H. C. Malone, Clerk.

Weller & Jones, for plaintiffs. o21 6m

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THE STATE of California—In the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District, for the County of San Francisco. GODEFFROY, SILLEM & Co. vs. ALBERT PRIEST

The People of the State of California to Albert Priest, send greeting:

You are hereby summoned to appear in the said District Court of the county of San Francisco, on or before the first Monday in May next, and answer the complaint of Alfred Godeffroy and William Sillem, residents of said San Francisco, and copartners in trade under the firm of style of Godeffroy, Sillem & Co., filed with the Clerk of said Court on the 12th day of October, 1850, whereby they, the said plaintiffs, claim the sum of five thousand six hundred and forty-five 50-100 dollars, exclusive of interest, damages and costs of suit, and found their claim on a certain bill of exchange drawn by said Albert Priest, dated the 24th day of June, A. D. 1850, at Brunswick, Germany, on Henry M. Naglee, at San Francisco, and requested him, the said Naglee, ten days after sight, to pay to the order of Messieurs J. C. Godeffroy and Son, Humbro. Germany, the sum of five thousand six hundred and forty-five 50-100 dollars in gold dust at sixteen dollars per ounce, Troy, for value received, and endorsed by said J. C. Godeffroy & Son to the said plaintiffs or order; accepted by said Naglee and protested for non-payment.

Witness, Hon. Levi Parsons, Judge of said Court, at the Court House thereof, this 18th day of October, A. D 1850.

[L.S.]
Attest, John E. Addison, Clerk,
by Jas. D. Galbraith, Dep. Clerk
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